

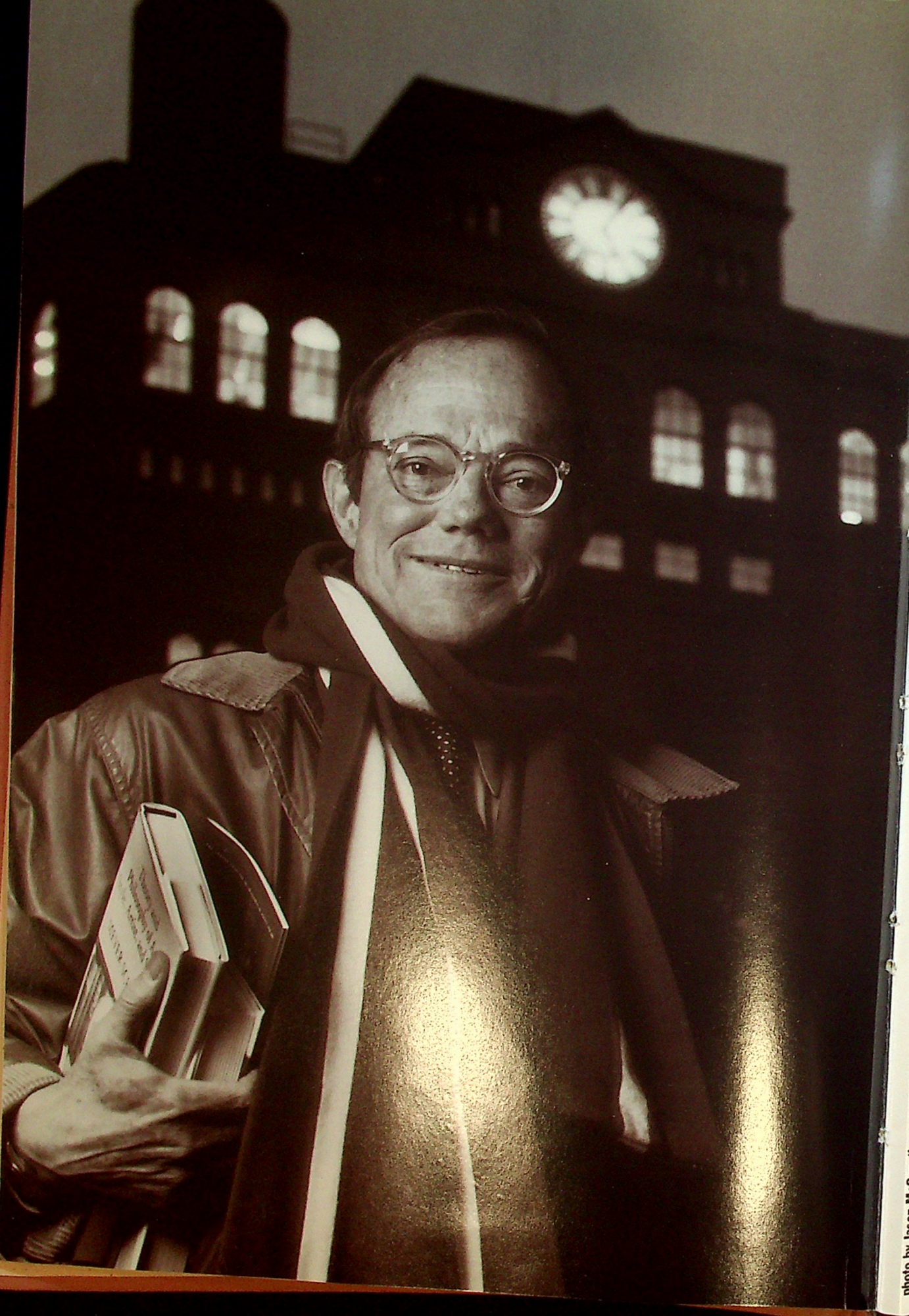




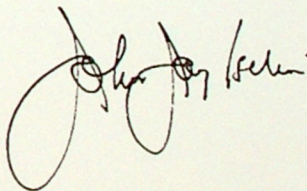


The Cooper Union for the Advancement of Science and Art

CLASS OF 1995



On The Move Throughout the formative years of the 1990's, the Class of '95 has helped its Alma Mater generate a robust head of steam. That replenished power sends Cooper Union barreling toward the Third Millennium. Just completing its 135th year of remarkable performance, the College pridefully notes many key, momentum-gathering events of the past half-decade. Some advances were emblematic of the Union's potency; others were indicative of its constancy. During your active undergraduate years, the Class of '95 energized Cooper's engine of education and service. In an academic audit, published early in your final year, the New York Times headlined its laudatory account: "The High Price of Free Excellence." Your works gave life to those encomiums. Recall that when you arrived, at the onset of an economically constrained decade, Kamenstein's Hardware was just going out of business. On your watch, you enabled Cooper Union's first student residence to come into being. Most importantly, you made the hall a home. Recollect that, initially, many of the College's engineering labs still needed an overhaul. Nor was the Hewitt's space available for Art and Architecture students. And the Foundation Building called for some refurbishing. Altogether, your participation helped shape significant enhancements for the College. Remember that you were on hand, welcoming President Clinton to Cooper on his first visit to New York City. You also witnessed and enlivened numerous memorable moments in the school's galleries and Great Hall. You ably assisted ongoing outreach and the launching of a public high school. Do not forget that in your years, Cooper's tennis teams captured successive City championships. Marvel, too, that the basketball quintet extended its 33-year, unbeaten record on its home court. As well, your acumen and ingenuity have brought academic honors to the College. Above all, take pride that your achievements have enriched and ratified Cooper Union's endeavors, as a pacesetter for meritorious performance. You exemplify the Cooper way, by linking creative ideas with innovative action in learning and leadership. For all the advances of your College years, the track ahead looms bumpy. Strengthening of the Union has not necessarily assured its sustained speed. In truth, the notion of reliability requires annual reinforcement. Your good works, then, are only begun. Your Commencement, vigorously celebrated, reminds that the creative involvement of the Class of '95 will keep Cooper on the rails and on the fast track. Further, your continuing concern for your Alma Mater can persuade others to rally round and power the College's pathway into the next century. We salute your accomplishments, Class of '95. Your past is surely a prologue. Cooper Union wishes you well and awaits your many happy returns to Cooper Square.



CLASS OF 1995



Coasting by the application

Overjoyed that it is free

Ordinary-looking on the first day

Pressure sets in from work

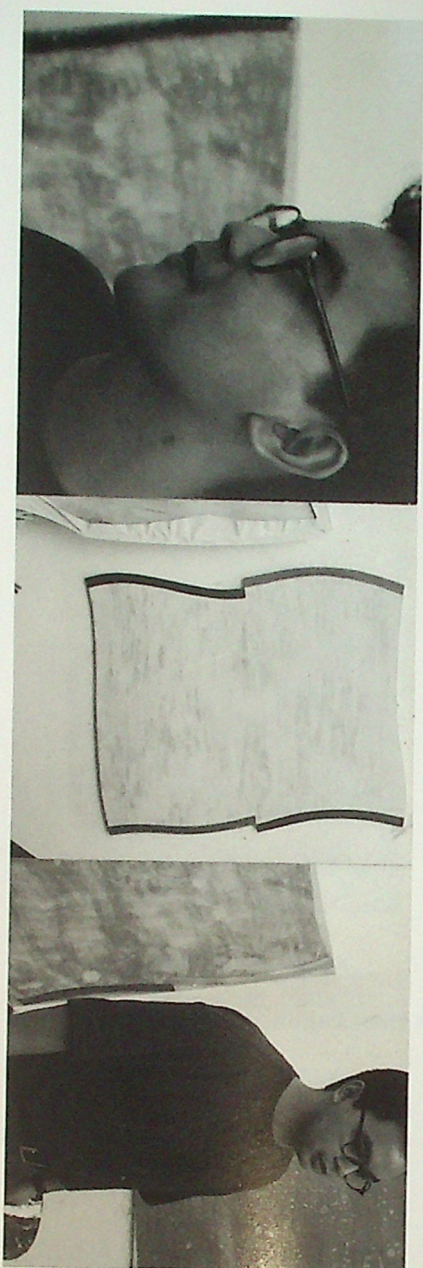
Eerie feeling that you won't make it

Relief that you will graduate

A few last words: Long live TDP, CUCC, goofing off in the lounge and McDonalds!



EDDIE ADAMS



AUGUSTO ARBIZO



ANDREA ARCHER



"...riverrun, past Eve and Adam's, from swerve of shore to bend of bay, brings us by a commodius vicus of recirculation back to Howthe Castle and Environs": perhaps i have not grown as much as i have returned to where i was. i have found my foundations in establishing them. memories of the old is what is new, the actual acquired extra. broken habits, broken models - "i didn't do it!"; "¡rompecosas!"; rompevida. if i could only tell...

CARLOS E. ARREDONDO

VICKEN S. ARSLANIAN



LAURA ASHBY





TRISTAN BACCAY

MARK EDWARD BALCH



A lovely girl...subway companions...
lab partners...softball players...
bowlers...operators...lounge
inhabitants...wiring crews...
ski mates...lunch buddies...and
a wonderful, supportive family.
It's time to follow our dreams...
(Four years have passed and I'm ready!)

"I shall be telling this with a sigh
Somewhere ages and ages hence:
Two roads diverged in a wood, and I -
I took the one less traveled by
And that has made all the difference."

- Robert Frost

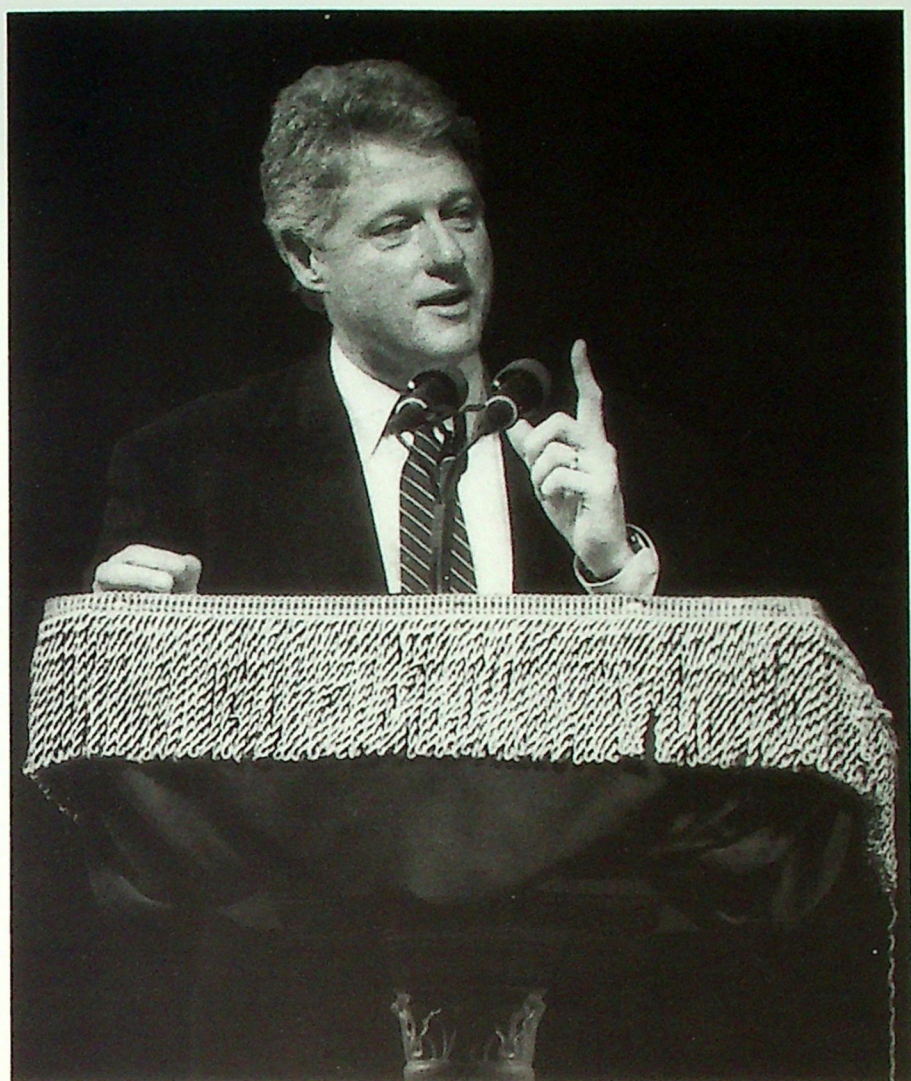


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BILL CLINTON



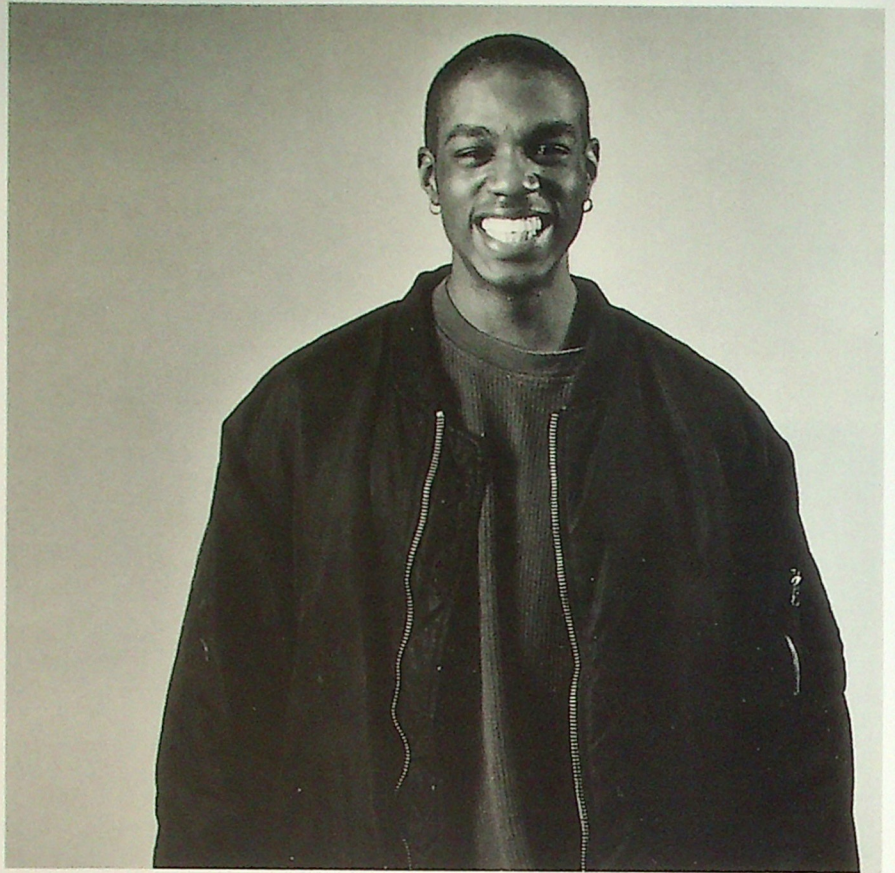


DIANN BAUER



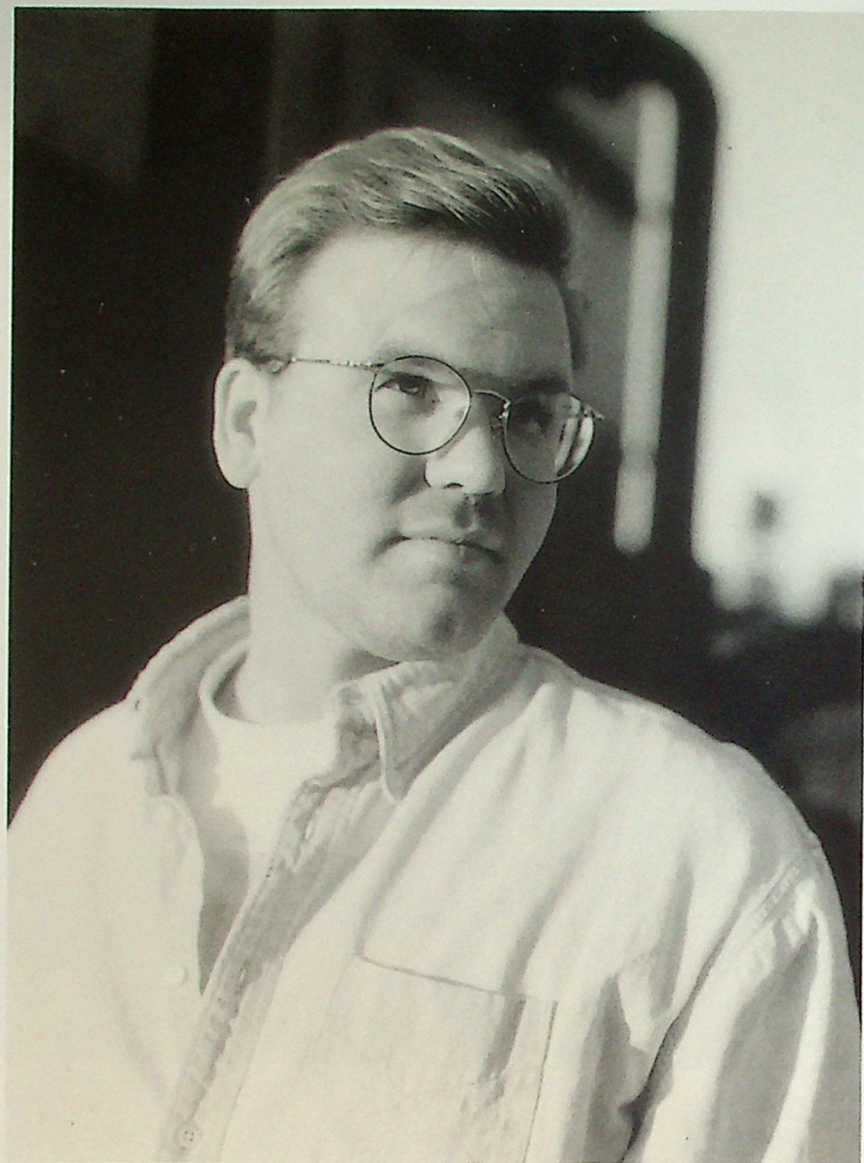


KARLO BERKET





DOROTA BLAT





I would like to thank my family and friends. They have been my strength and support. I would not have been able to go back to college without you all.

VAG: "Anamaria, I think that you need to do some soul searching and decide between being a carpenter or an engineer."

AB: "You guys didn't make the decision easy. But thanks for everything anyway."

ANAMARIA BONILLA



CHRISTOPHER BORELLO

"The will to do springs from the knowledge that we can do. Doubt and fear are the great enemies of knowledge, and he who encourages them, who does not slay them, thwarts himself at every step." – J.A.

Thanks Mom, Dad, and Lori. A special thanks to a very special girl – Katy. Thanks CE class, professors, and all my friends – you know who you are.

CHRIS BRAITHWAITE





Mom and Pop, **THANX** for forcing me into Cooper.

Special **THANX** to all that made it worth it: B—hell of a bro, we've
been thru too much and we're still close friends;

Jersey Crew—Good people, better complainers, great friends.

THANX Buttman—U kept me smiling for three years.

THANX Chick—U made Thursday the first day of the weekend.

THANX CE graduates, I couldn't have asked for better classmates.

THANK YOU ALL!

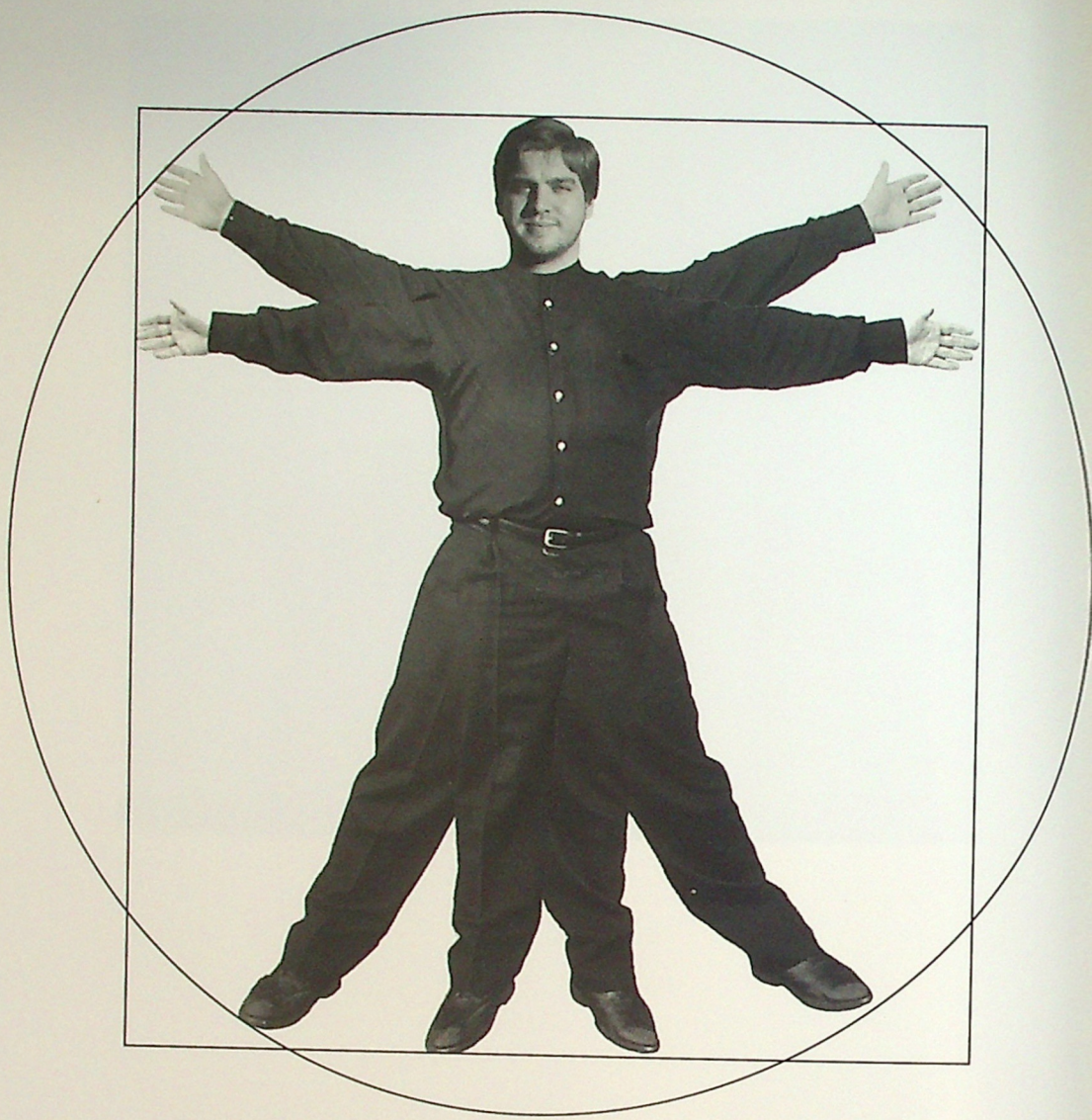


GREG BULA



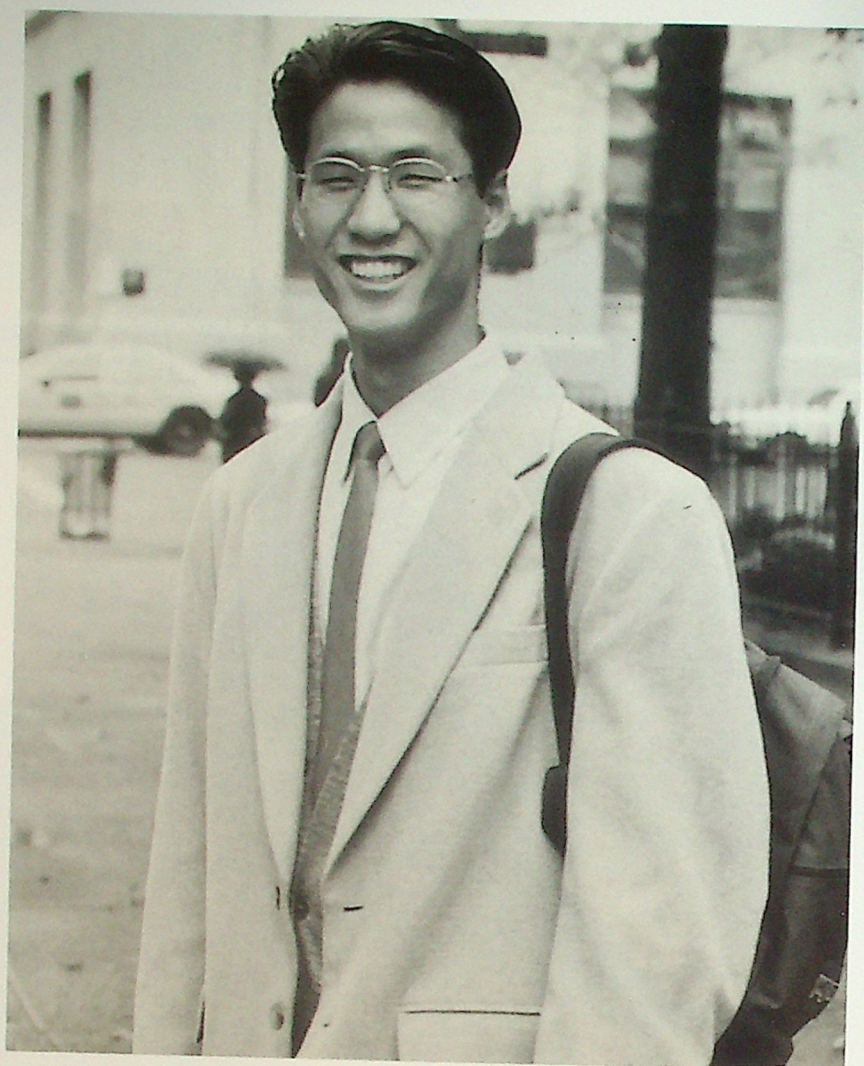


DAVID CANTOR



DORIS S.F. CHAN







Some memorable statements overheard:

Look, he's so cold that he _____ ice cubes! - reference to K.

That's absolutely..... correct. - in reference to H's statement:

S always has the look on his face that he's waiting for trouble to find him.

An egomaniac with delusions of grandeur. - reference to B.

What's your game? - General purpose Allenism

To my friends (you know who you are), Thanks.

You made studying at Cooper...tolerable. (Sorry, no more WYGL's)

ALLEN CHEIN

If you leave thoughts behind you
that other people can develop
you have an affect on
how the world looks or how it's thought about.
don't see any reason to leave behind 'things'
which lost their meaning in time.
or even exist as a symbol of meaning
at a given past... P.S. "lets be honest"(W),

"there is a lack of blackness"(A)

in these "Profound images"(L),
but "Ultimately" I am just trying to "make sure it works"(H)
so don't tell me to "Put it away."(G)

"What is the use of a house if you haven't got a tolerable planet to put it on." – Thoreau

WAI CHENG



These past few
years have been
filled with the
deepest valleys;
fortunately, I
have already
climbed onto
solid ground and
shall not stop
climbing until I
have reached
the very pinnacle
of success.

I have met
so many new
friends at
Cooper Union.
I hope our paths
will cross once
more in the
future. Farewell
for now!



JIMMY CHIN

To forget the mistakes of the past and press on to the greater achievements of the future... To think only the best and expect only the best! Special thanks to all my friends, especially PJ, JL, HY, CL, HK, ST...

YOUNG J. CHOI





Mission: *As the world turns, the young and restless students at Cooper have the days of our lives filled with the guiding light from our professors (even those who have been here for generations and really belong in a general hospital!)*

Gratitude: I would like to thank my family for their support through the years and most of all, my parents for paying that enormous yearly student fee!

Nuff respect to the NSBE & SHPE crew. Big ups to my homiez.

A mis profesores, muchos gracias por nada. ¿Yo aprendí algo en esta escuela?

ROGER CHRISTOPHER



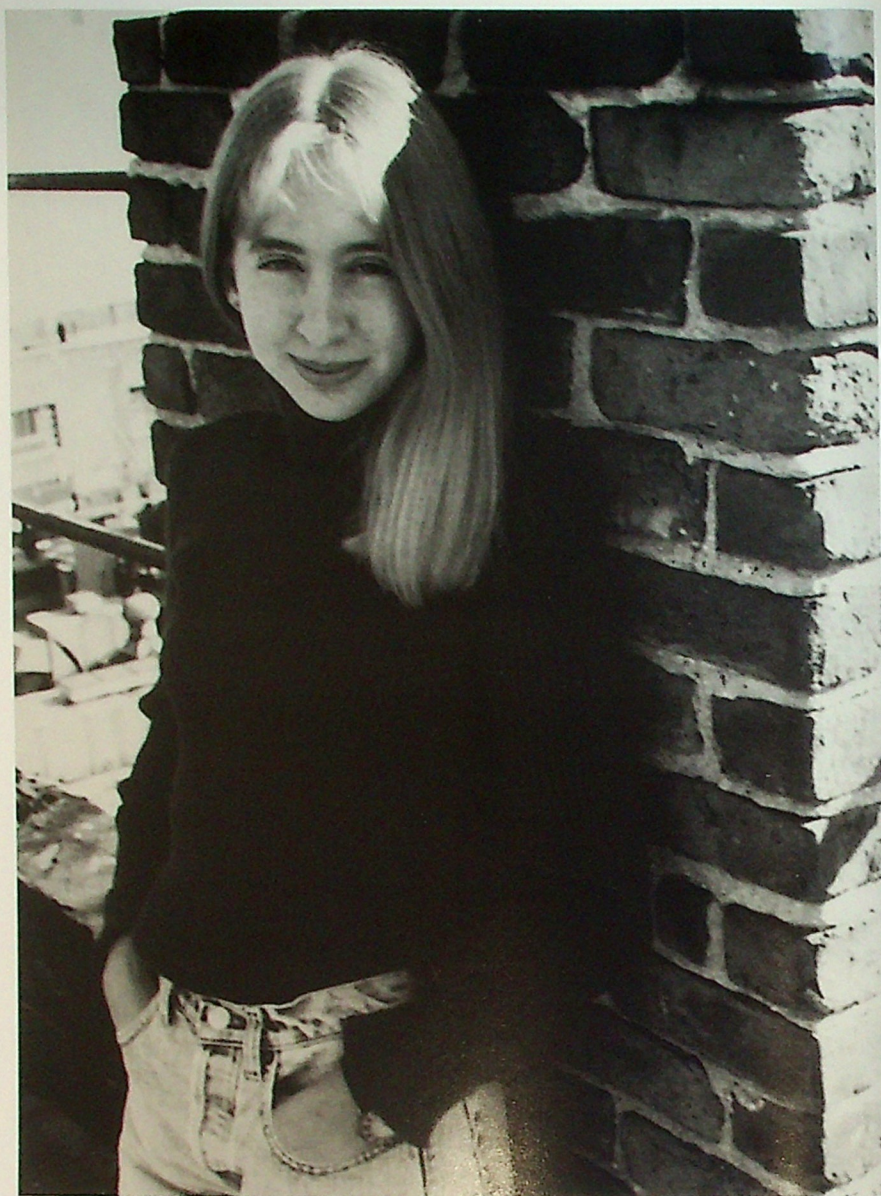
MICHELE CICCARELLI

Yeah right, like I'm getting out this year. CB, TC, RL, JS, GT, You down with APD? Brotherhood lasts a lifetime; let's see how true that is! Chillin' together at Streets, Haunted, Choir Loft, and any other place that would serve us. Thursday nights at my house. You know what I say, 'It doesn't make you a bad person.' Peace to the Brothers, and GB, CS, FM, TM, and everyone else at Cooper. Auguri!



The tide will rise, tide will fall
broke down, run aground, won't run away;
the tide will rise. – B. Hornsby

KEVIN CONNOLLY





TROY CUSTODIO

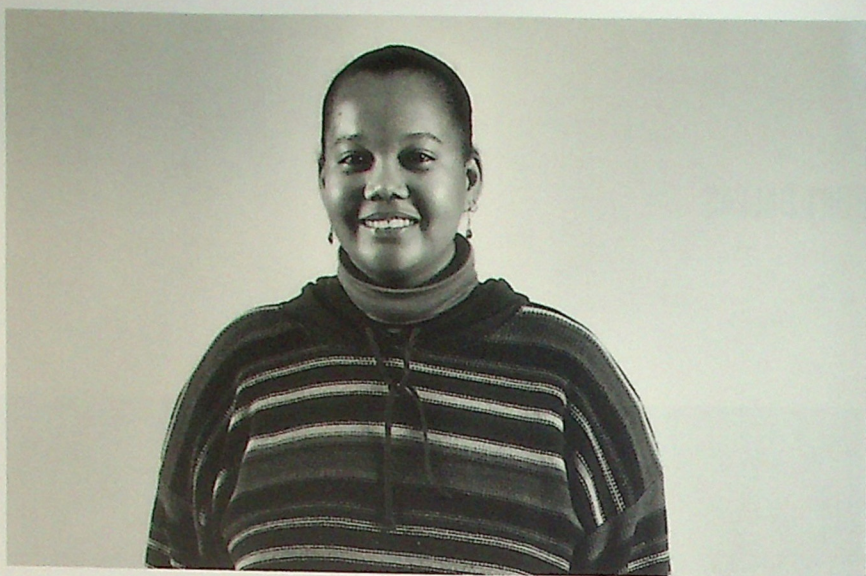


I came, I studied, I passed some, I failed some but most of all I survived the hell. Would I do it again? HELL, NO! The opportunity was phat but the ride took its toll. I want my life back! I want my life back! I WANT MY LIFE BACK! To all of my homies in the Union and in GT, big up and nuff respect. Lick shot in all of your future endeavors. Peace!

SHANGAZA DA SENT

BURT DALLAS







酒親月人酒身影春細亂歡散游漢
壺相明三解我將及徘徊交分情雲
一無邀成不隨月須月影同各無邀
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花獨舉對月影暫行我我醒醉永相



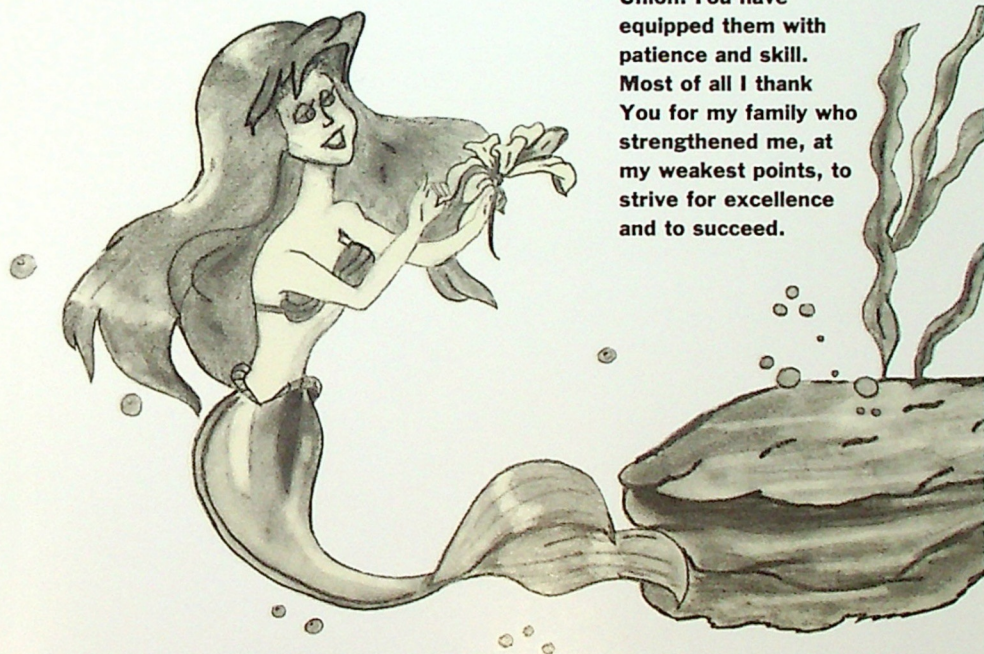
CATHERINE DILORENZO



The Lord is near to
all who call on Him,
to all who call on
Him in truth.
He fulfills the desires
of those who fear Him:
He hears their cry
and saves them.
My mouth will speak in
praise of the Lord. Let
every creature praise
His holy name for ever
and ever.

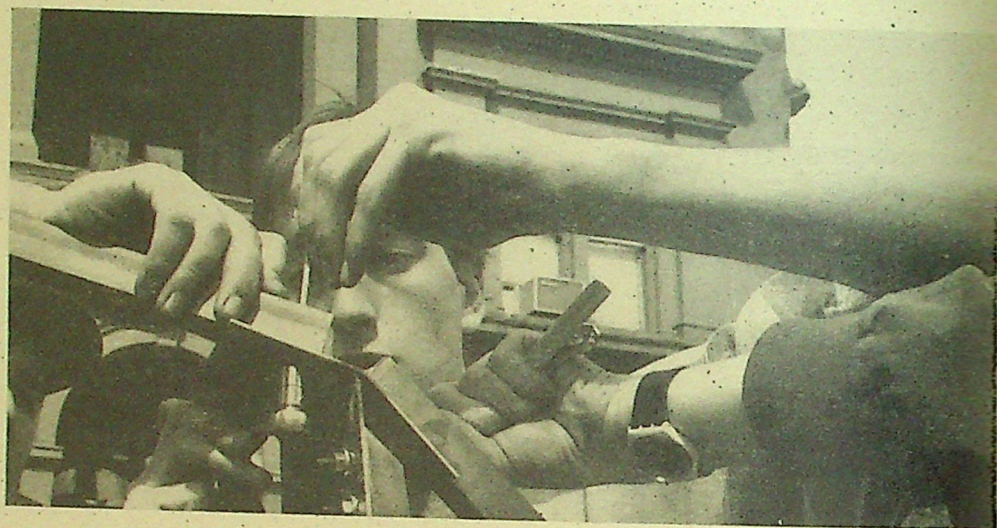
Psalm 145:18-21

Thank you, oh Lord for
the teachers at Cooper
Union. You have
equipped them with
patience and skill.
Most of all I thank
You for my family who
strengthened me, at
my weakest points, to
strive for excellence
and to succeed.





















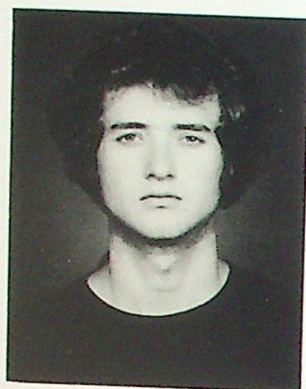
Are you going to miss me?



Of course you are!

THERESA E. DOOLEY

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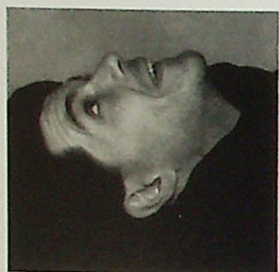
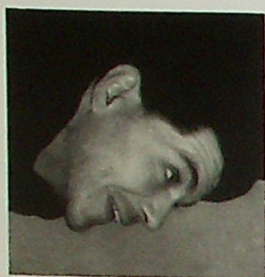
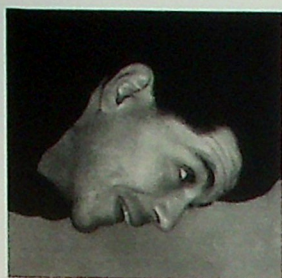


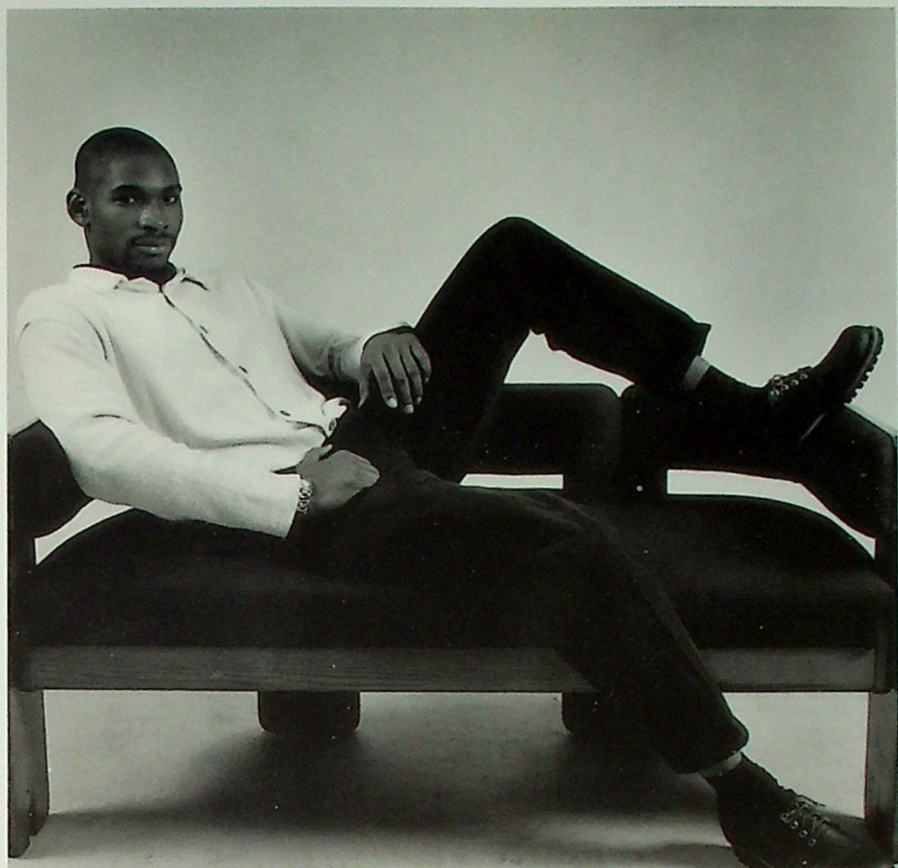
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ROLAND ECKL



SEÁN EGAN





Thanks Peter for the free ride, hopefully I can give something back. Now I can finally begin my life and put all of these stresses behind me. Thanks to everyone who supported me and to those who figured or said I wouldn't make it...EEEErnt. Wrong answer, thanks for playing. Anyway, I'm not bitter, I'll see ya on the flipside...One Love.

ALONZO ELLIS



DINA ELSHAKRY-HAFEZ

None of you [truly] believes until he wishes for his brother what he wishes for himself. - Hadith -

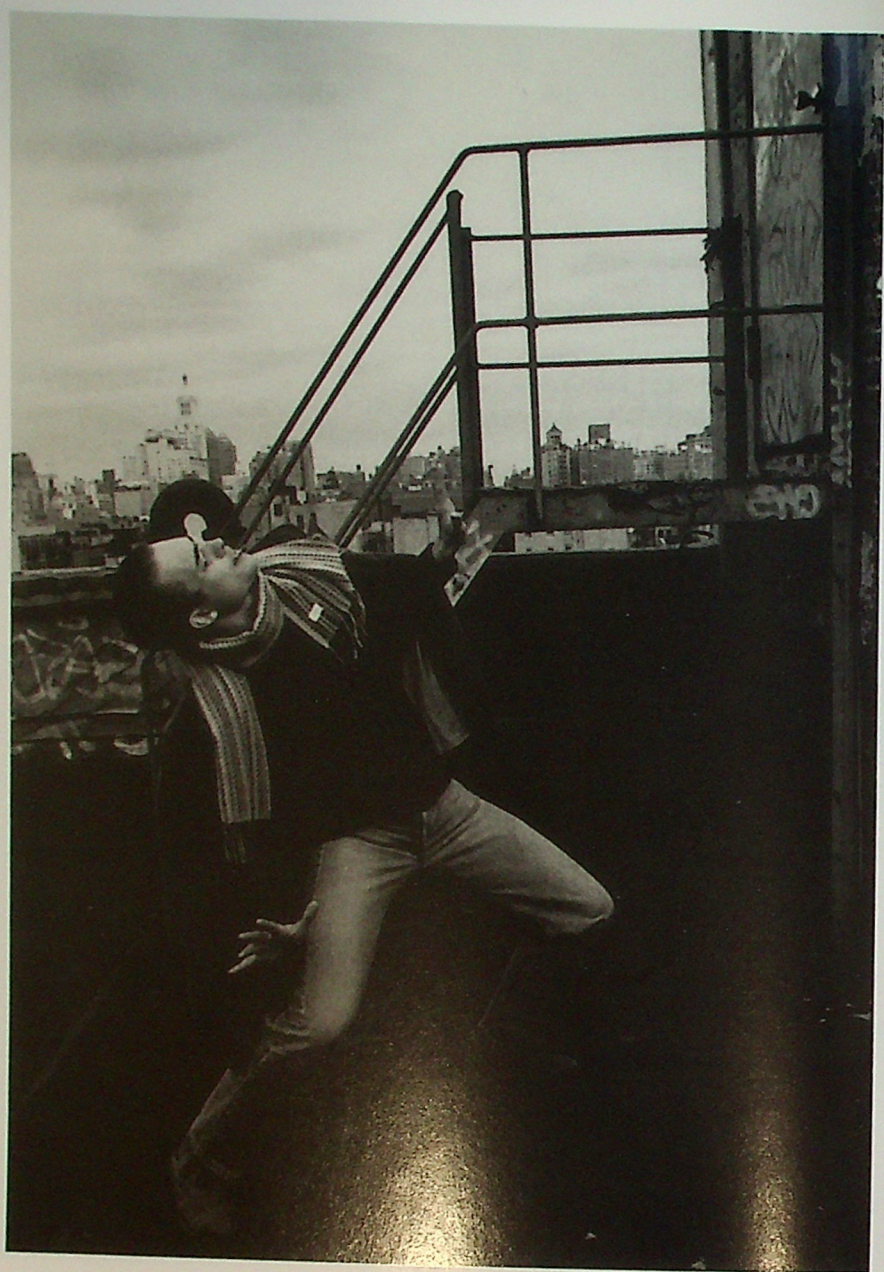
To my Husband - Amr, Mom, Dad and sisters, thanks for everything - I love you all!

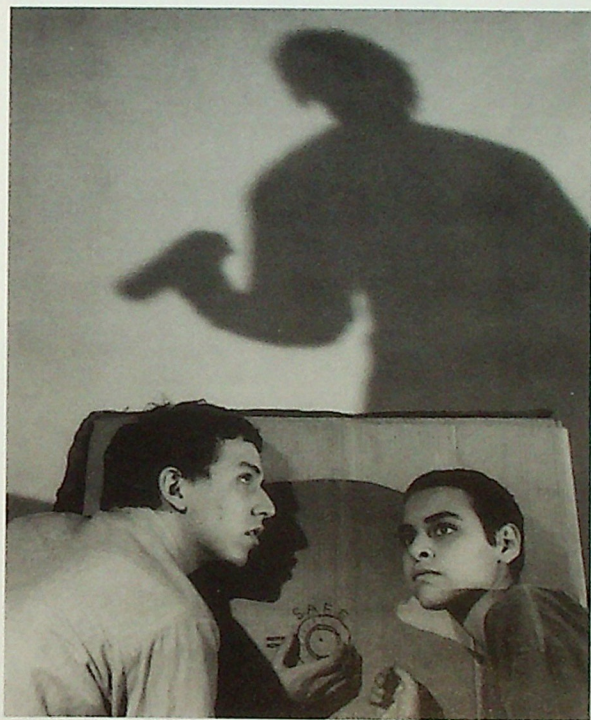
To my friends and Professors, thanks - I'll miss you!

Anamaria, thanks for being my theory teacher, especially showing me the tanned surface in SM. Professor Guido, I know deep down you will miss me! InshAllah, the MSA will grow Shazia! Al - HamdurAllah always!



DARREN ERYOU





GABRIELLA ESSER

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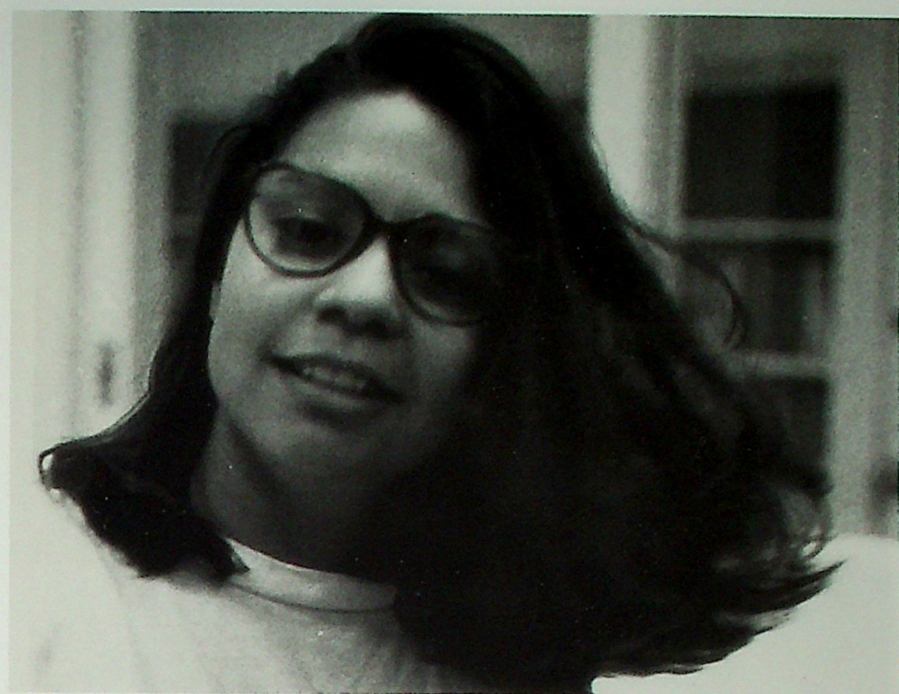
CHARLES FAN



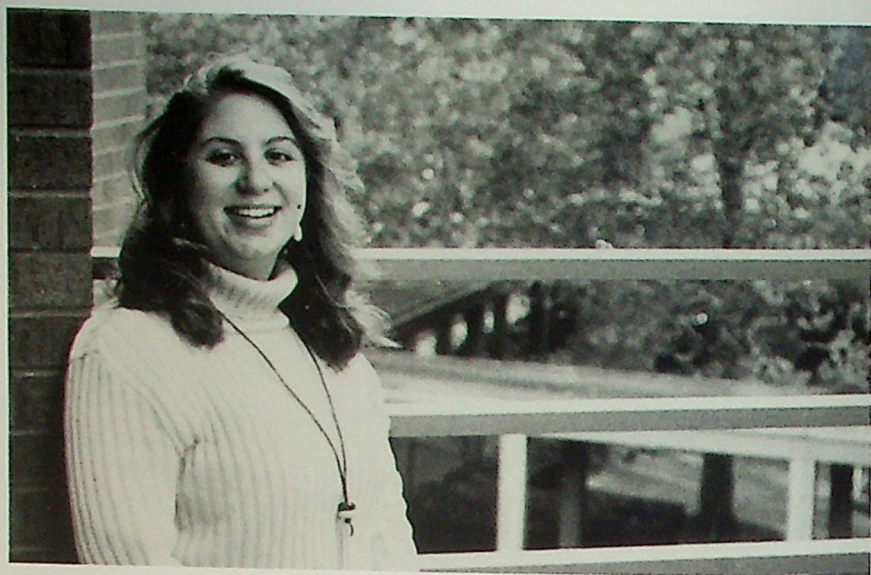


ANDREW FANNING





LUZ B. FLORES



"Love is reverence, and worship, and glory, and the upward glance.
But they don't know it. Those who speak of love most promiscuously are the ones
who've never felt it. They make some sort of feeble stew out of sympathy,
compassion, contempt and general indifference, and they call it love. Once you've
felt what it means to love—the total passion for the total height—
you're incapable of anything less."

Ayn Rand, *The Fountainhead*

LAURIE FRIEDMAN



"It's a small world, but I wouldn't want to paint it." – Steven Wright
"Poo-tee-weet." – Kurt Vonnegut

SACHIN GAJWANI



Anne ve Dede: Allah size saglik versin. Sizi canim kadar seviyorum.



LEYLA GARGU

To my "exciting" friends:

Julie: I love you for caring and giving me so much.

Debsy: I adore you for putting up with my instabilities.

Steph: "Where exactly would you put the feather?"

Doris & Maria: You guys are one of those buy-1-get-1-free packages.

Binh: "It's supposed to sound like an airplane taking off."

Ray: "Mine solidified."

SWE and ΔH sisters rule!!
Nuff said.

To Mom & Dad, Mike, Hema, Sean, Craig, and the rest of my family and friends,
thanks for being there to help me out and make me laugh when I needed it most.



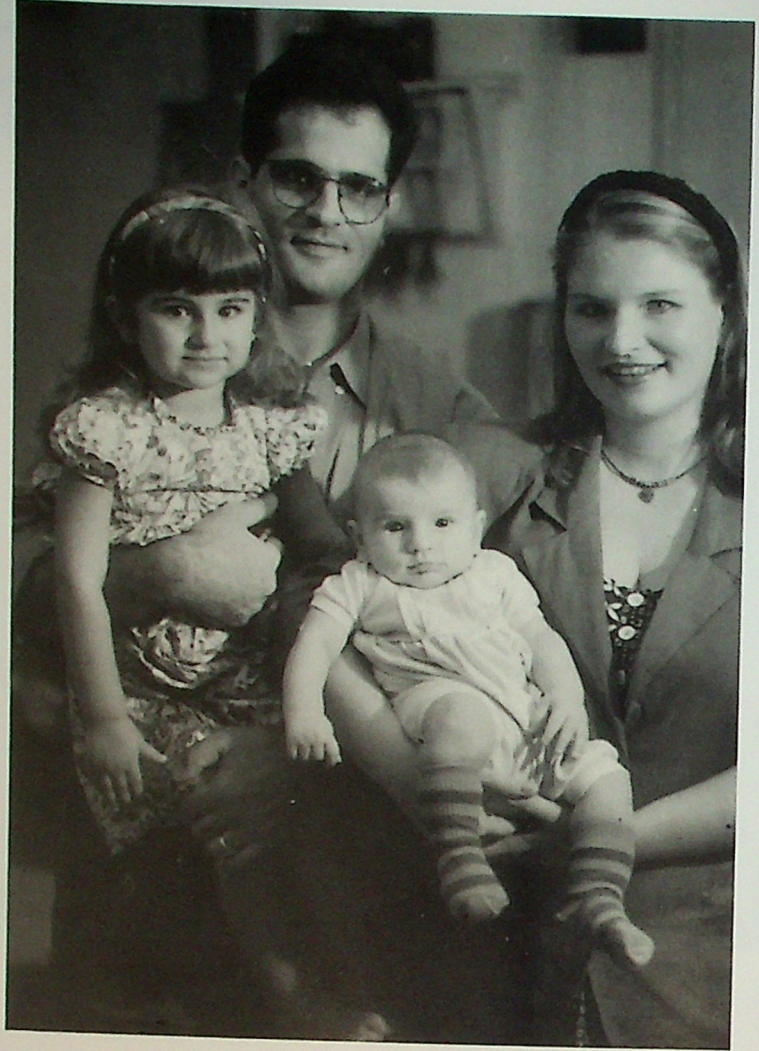
Once more unto the breach, dear friends, once more;
Or close the wall up with our English dead!...
The games afoot! Follow your spirit; and upon this charge,
Cry, "God for Harry, England, and St. George!" – Shakespeare, Henry V

**"There are some who have knowledge of being.
There are some who have knowledge of nothing.
There are some who have no knowledge of nothing.
There are some who have no knowledge of the
fact that they have no knowledge of nothing." – Chuang Tzu**

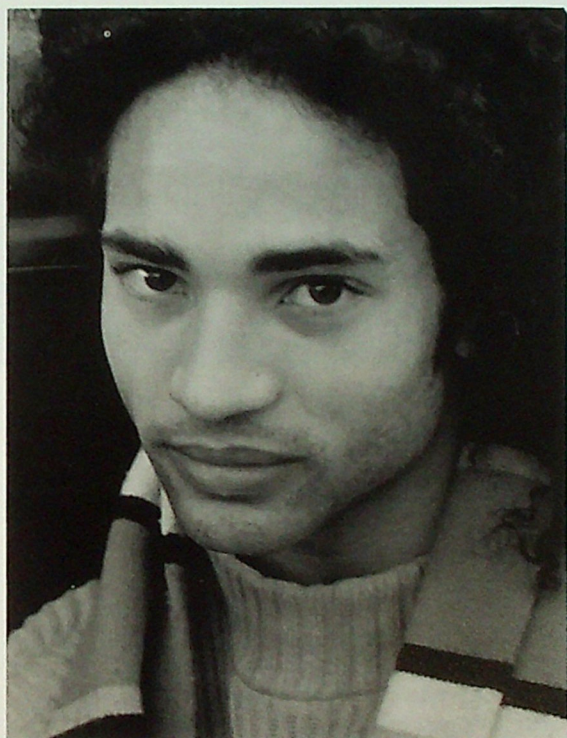


JOHN W. GIBBONS

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AMUZ GOL



ADAM ABU GRANT

Running around in these crazy
circles I have found a way to be.
I will follow my own rhythms
that beat slow and steady.
Thank you mom and papa
for giving me the strong foundation.
I could not have done it without you.
I will walk with dignity.



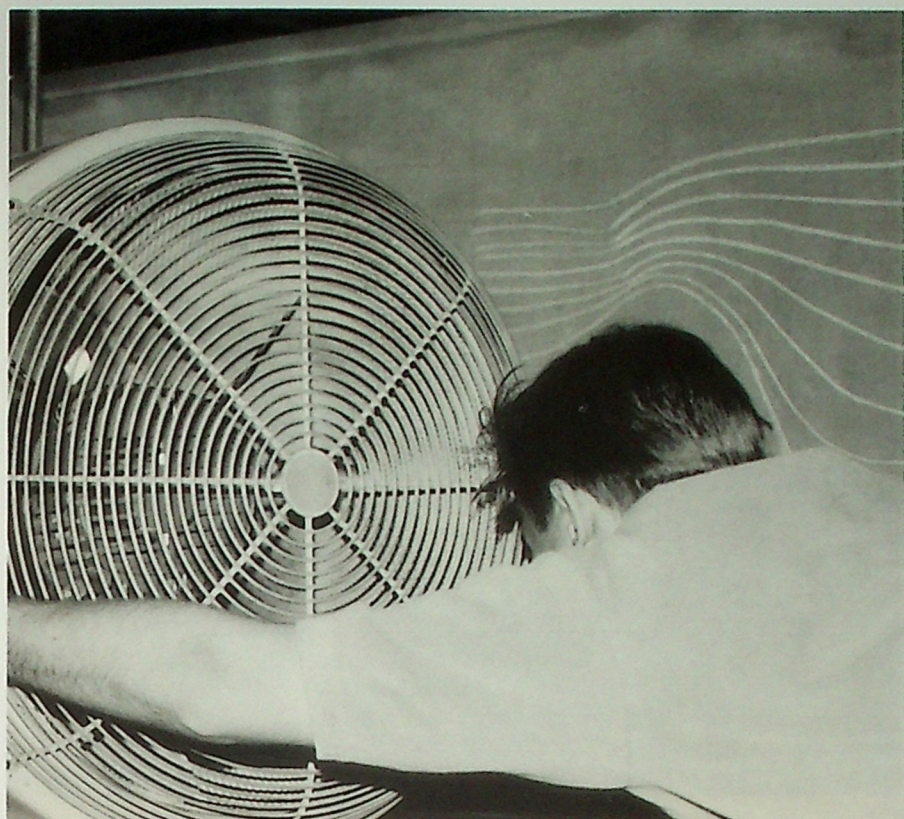
"De que nos sirve tener inteligencia,
si no sabemos usar la conciencia." – R. blades

"Nada es malo ni bueno,
todo depende del color del
cristal a traves del que lo veas"

Gracias a todos los que creyeron en este cipote chorreado de los barrios
de El Salvador. Este triunfo se lo dedico a mí madre querida que en paz
descanse, y a Tía Fina, dos personas muy especiales.
Pero todo no termina aquí....

LA LUCHA CONTINUA!!!!

JOSÉ D. GUEVARA



CHRISTOPHER HALL

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Well, it's over! It was long and difficult—long, vague assignments...long evenings doing group projects...the tiring two-hour commute...sleepless nights...the jam-packed Computer Center...four hours spent on one problem...**STRESS**—but it was all worthwhile, and worth every penny of tuition! By comparison, everything else will seem effortless.

Infinite gratitude to my entire family for putting up with this turbulent, insane lifestyle: Dad, Mom, Doris, Robbie, Clayton, and Collin.

BRIAN HAMSHAR



I thank God for getting me out of Cooper.
I thank all the professors for making me realize that I have a lot more to learn.
(And I enjoyed the pain you have given me)
I thank all the graduating EE's for helping me in many ways.
(It would have been impossible to pass EMT and Electronics without your help)
By the way, do you guys all know what 'j' is now?

JIN C. HAN

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MANY THANKS TO MY DEAREST FAMILY AND
FRIENDS WHO HAVE SUPPORTED ME THROUGHOUT
THE LAST FOUR YEARS.

НУНЮ, БУНЮ, БАБЦЮ, ДЗЯДЗЮ, МАМО, І ТІАТУ!

YOU WILL CONTINUE TO BE AN INSPIRATION.

"ПЛИВУТЬ СОБІ, А І ЗА ХВИЛІ
СОНЦЕ ХВИЛЮ ЧЕРВОНІТЬ;
ПЕРЕД НИМИ МОРЕ МИЛЕ
ГОМОНІТЬ І КЛЕКОТИТЬ.

ГАМАЛІЄ, ВІТЕР ВІЄ!
ОСЬ ОСЬ НАШЕ МОРЕ!
І СХОВАЛИСЬ ЗА ХВИЛІ
ЗА РОЖЕВІ ГОРИ."

("ГАМАЛІЯ" 181-189)





SHAHAR HAREL

Give me where to stand,
and I will move the earth.
Archimedes

I returned, and saw under the sun,
that the race is not to the swift,
nor the battle to the strong,
neither yet bread to the wise,
nor yet riches to men of
understanding, nor yet favor to
men of skill; but time and chance
happeneth to them all.

Ecclesiastes 9:11

SUE HAVENS





JENNIFER HAYES



JACKSON HO

All my life's a circle
Sunrise and sundown
Moon rose through the nighttime
'Till the daybreak comes around.

All my life's a circle
I can't tell you why
Seasons spinning 'round again
The years keep rolling by.

There's no straight lines make up my life
And all the roads have bends
There's no clear cut beginnings
And so far no good ends.

Harry Chapin



Within the realm of man, some visions are too large to be spoken, some too small to go left unsaid. Let not your thoughts be many while your actions but few; make not time for manifestos, but rather rally those efforts around the relentless pursuit of results. Ask not for pardons, nor for forgivenesses; instead apply yourself to whatsoever task may find you the justification of success. And always remember this: Pretention wants not validation.

JOSIAH HOBSON



My Heart Rages
Like a boiling pot,
Like a stormy sea.
I aspire for the heights,
For lofty visions
Fed by divine lights,
By souls hidden in the realms above.
I will not be bound in chains,
But I will bear a yoke;
I am a servant of God
But not a slave of slaves. – RAYHK

One who watches the wind will never sow,
And one who observes the clouds will never reap. – Kohelet



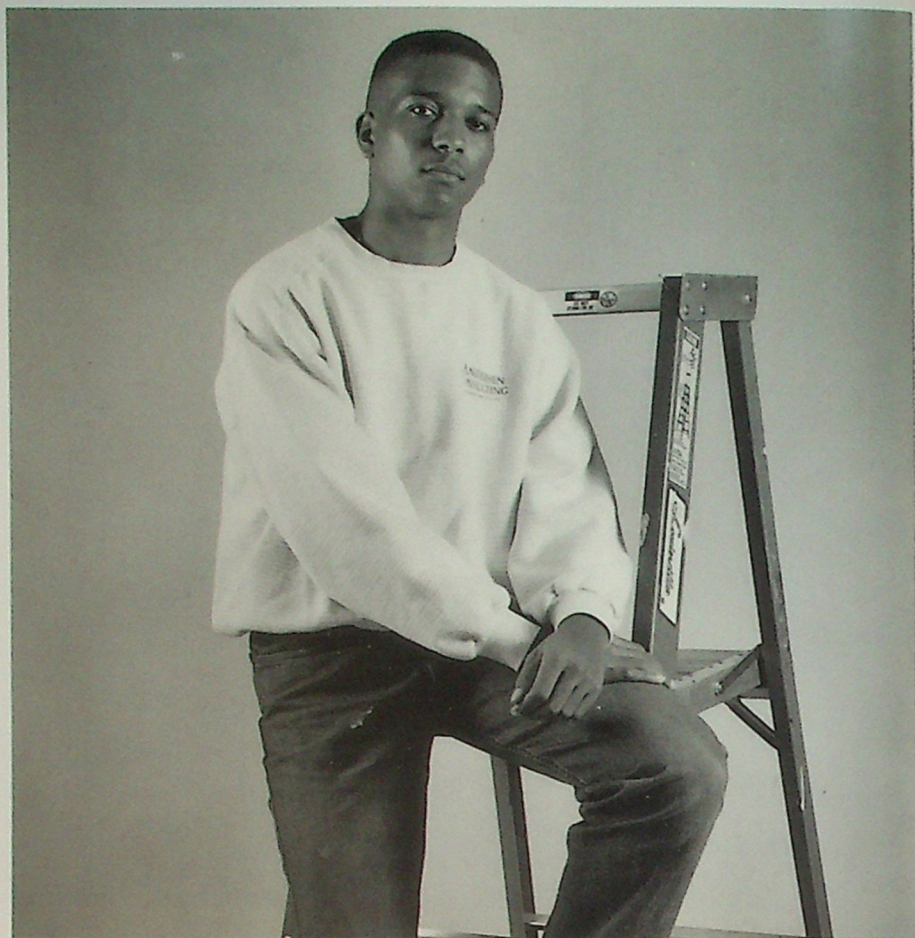
KIM HOLLEMAN

Dear Kim,
'Cheap wine, masturbation, cinema,' Celine writes. The wine is finished,
and there aren't any cinemas here. Existence is getting quite one-sided.
Love, Gerard

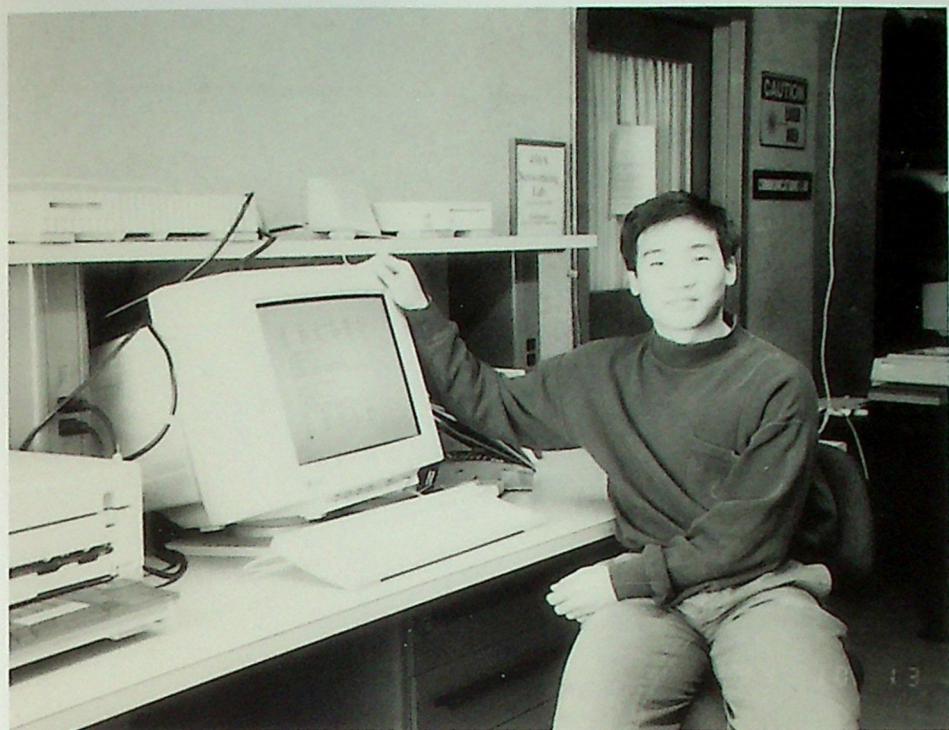




ABE JASINOWSKI



Sometimes you have to take a step back in order to take two or three steps forward. By realizing this, I not only survived but excelled at The Cooper Union. I have made friends that I will always respect and appreciate. My tenure has exposed me to the type of person I am: my strengths, my weaknesses, and the types of personalities I



I once drank coffee with sugar,
Now I prefer it to be bitter.
Bitterness sweetness can never cover,
Purity and simplicity always make it better,
Though milk sometimes helps enhance the flavor.

I love the taste of unsweetened espresso,
Yet more often I buy cappuccino.
Espresso tastes so intense it's often painful,
I worry that it is more than I can handle,
A twist of lemon usually makes me comfortable.

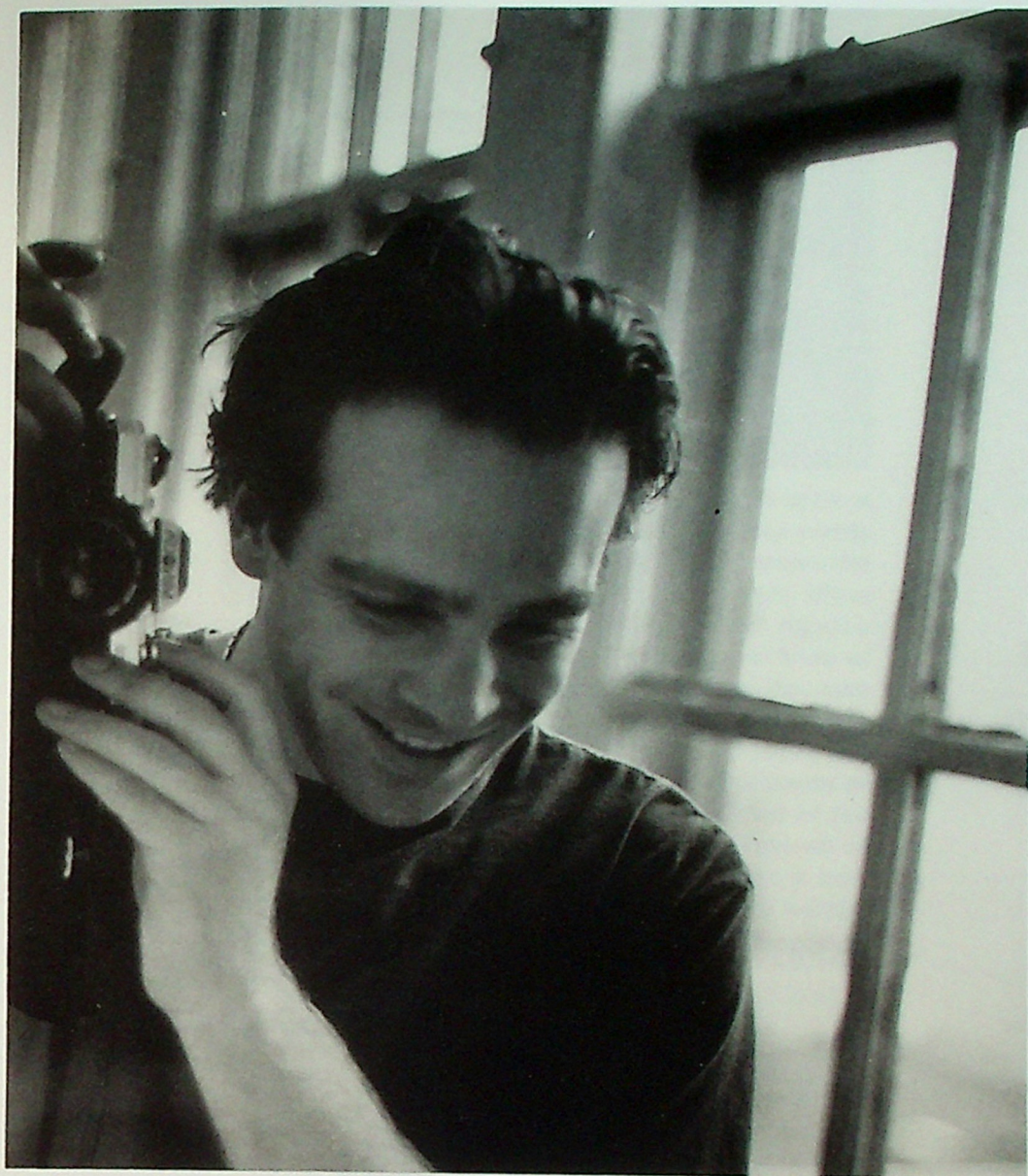
So drink thy coffee strong and without sugar,
Embodied you will find grandeur and splendor.

JONATHAN JIANG



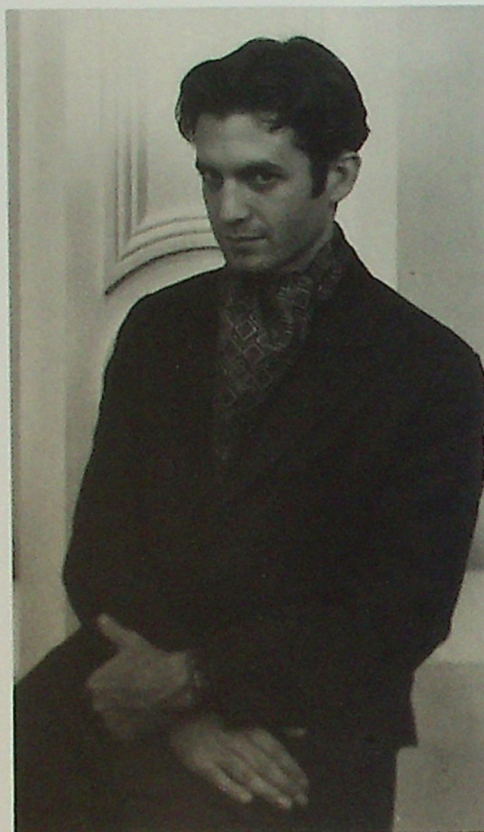
HEMANGI JOSHI





KEVIN MICHAEL KAVANAGH

K E V I N
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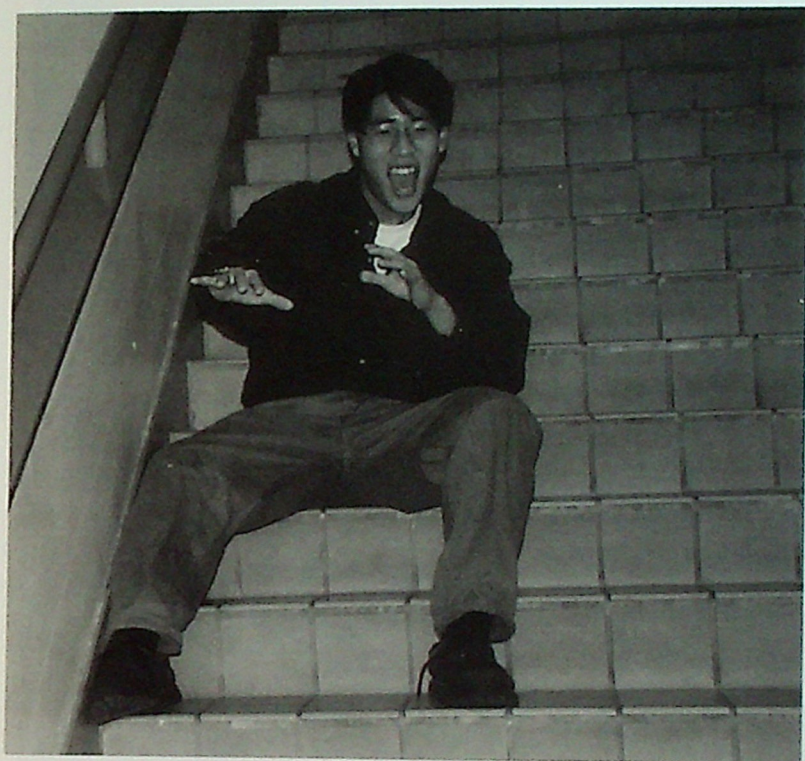
"Now, at the name of the fabulous artifice, he seemed to hear the noise of dim waves and to see a winged form flying above the waves and slowly climbing the air. What did it mean? Was it a quaint device opening a page of some medieval book of prophecies and symbols, hawk-like man flying sunward above the sea, a prophecy of the end he had been born to serve and had been following through the mists of childhood and boyhood, a symbol of the artist forging anew in his workshop out of the sluggish matter of the earth a new soaring impalpable imperishable being?"
Thanks Mom and Dad.

FRANK KIERNAN





The ladybug graced summer greens, and now she rests at one with the leaves.



"Failure
teaches
success."

EUGENE KIM



MATT KING



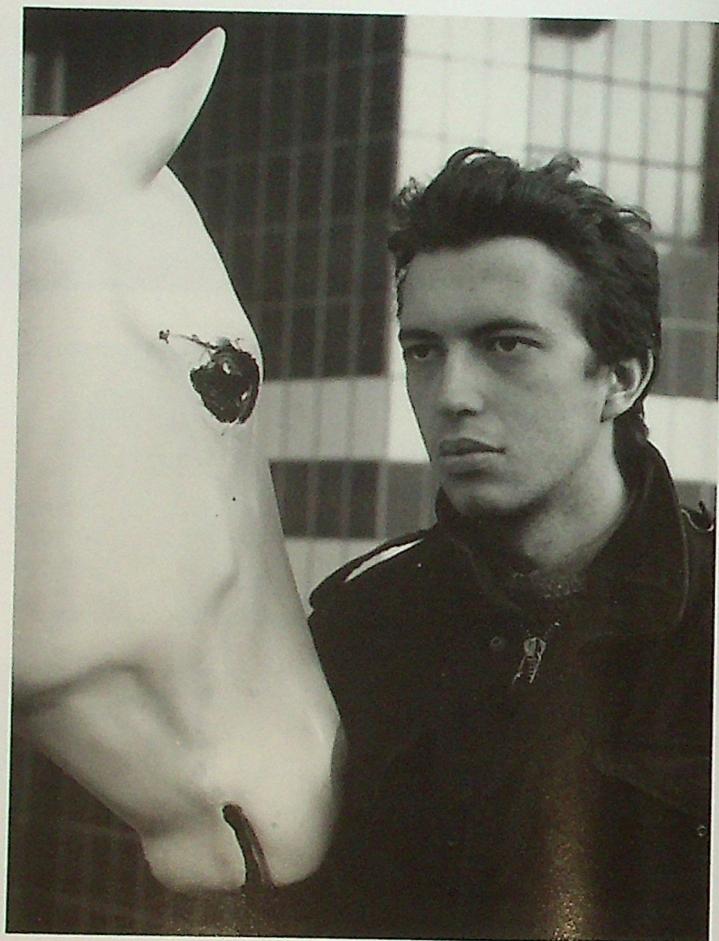
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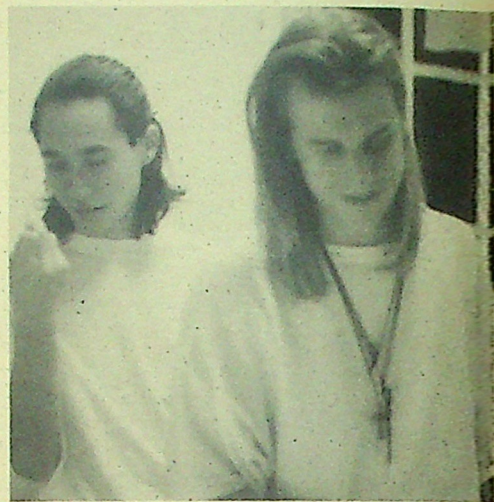
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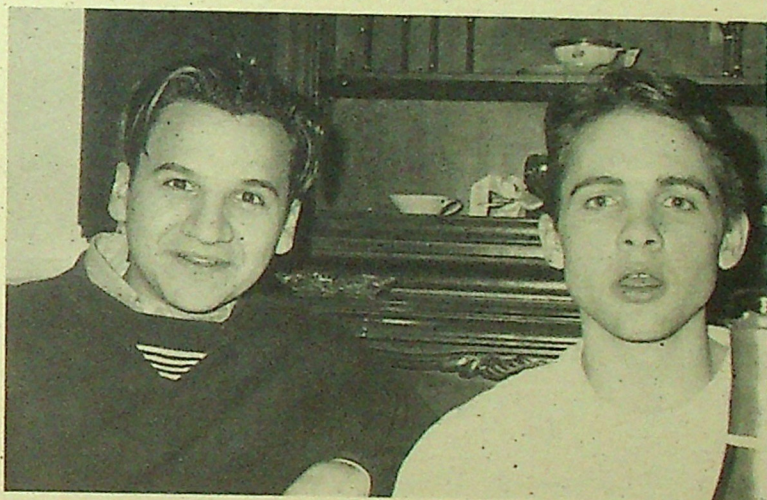






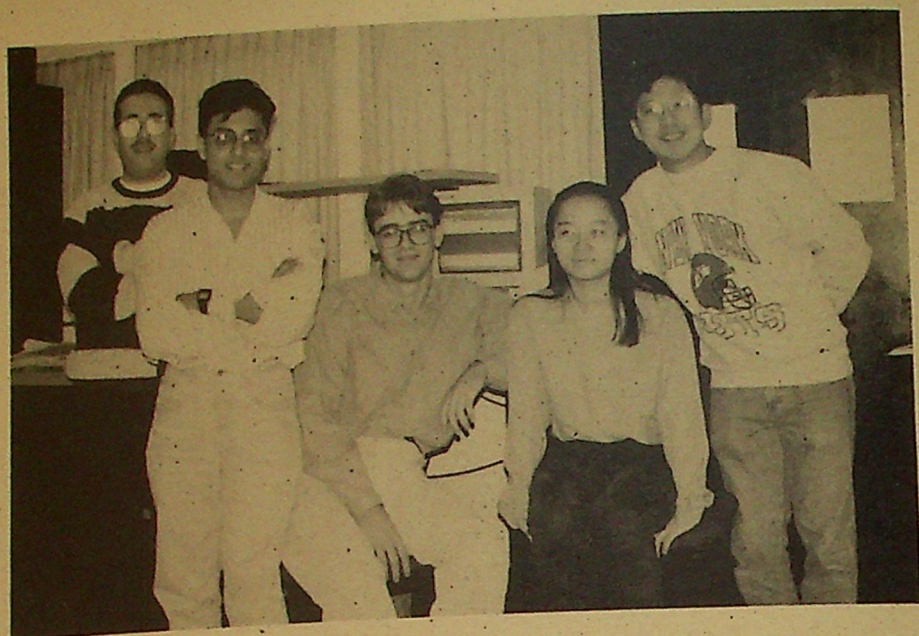


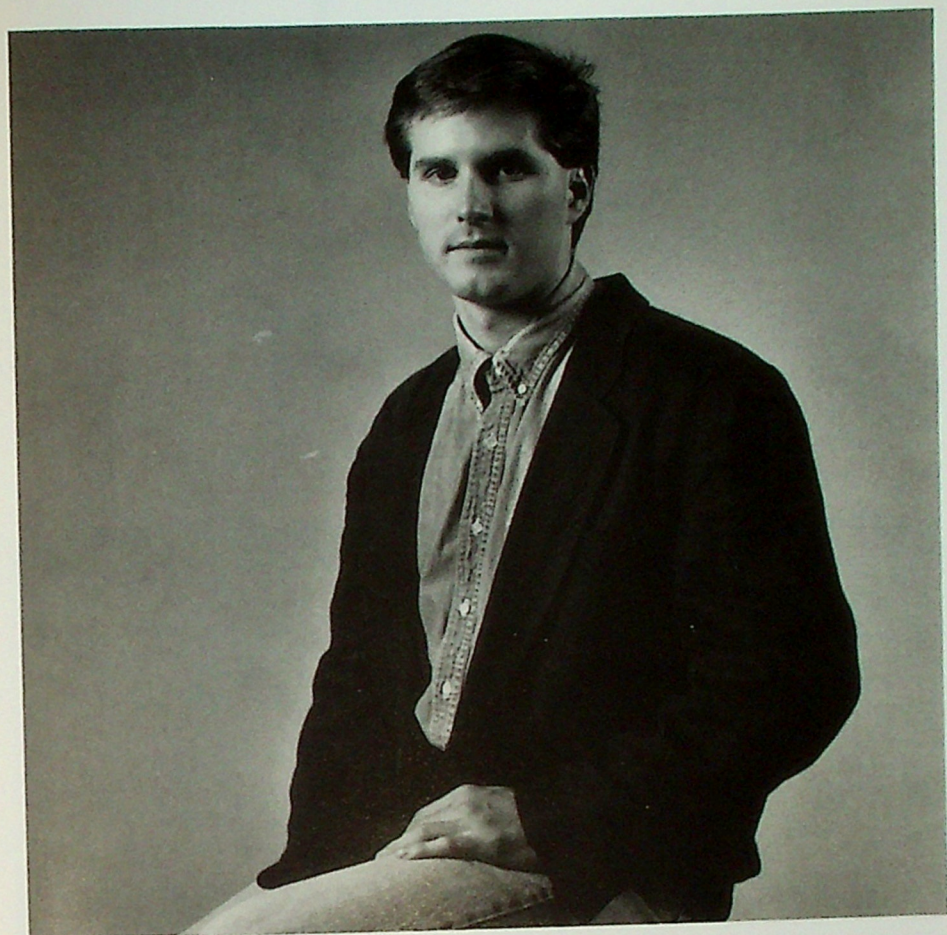












Many say that there is no final answer, no objective truth. By even suggesting this answer, though, they contradict themselves. All the modern philosophers know this. Both the desire to find a final answer and the existence of a common, rational mind are enough to cause a thinking person to search for God. Please don't blindly commit to a godless reality. Thanks to all who allowed me to share in their lives at Cooper Union.

CRAIG WILLIAM KRASINSKI

PREM KRISHNAMOORTHY



Dean: Thanks for all your stories.

Emily: I really don't have it so bad.

Jackson: I'm NOT REALLY in the League, Snappy!



Tristan: Buff Baccay aka Link.

William: The weather will get nicer.

Eugene: Anyway...Gipple? Mulva? Oh, Dolores!

Derek: Uh, Professor? Professor? Umm, how's my singing?

MING HON LAI

Allen: We'll always have Lorenzo's and Cabal.

To the eight people who I feel most fortunate to have met at Cooper: I thank you all from the bottom of my heart.



I'm gonna live my life
like every day's the last
Without a simple goodbye,
it all goes by so fast.
Gonna open my eyes
and see for the first time...

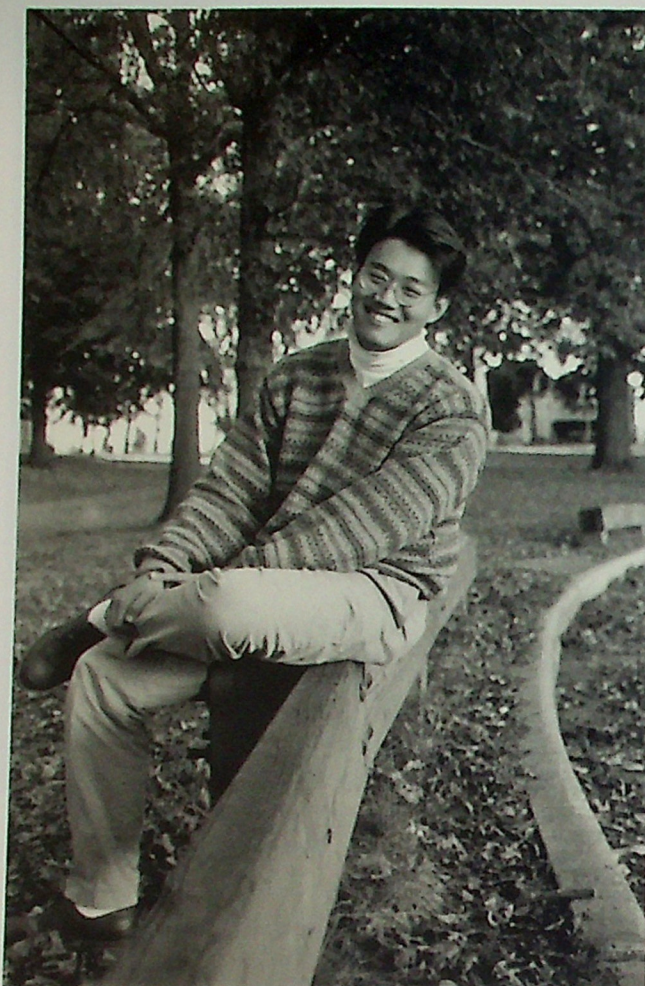
There it goes
up through the sky
There is goes
beyond the clouds
For no reason why
I can't cry hard enough

No, I can't cry hard enough for you to hear me now.

KAREN LAU



HEE JUNG LEE



JASON LEE

**Best Wishes to the Class of '95.
Let's always keep in touch, "cause a lifetime's not too long to live as friends."
- Michael W. Smith**

We only know what we're told and that's little enough.

And for all we know it isn't true...

"For all anyone knows, nothing is.

truth is only that which is taken to be true.

It's the currency of living.

Everything has to be taken on trust;

There may be nothing behind it,

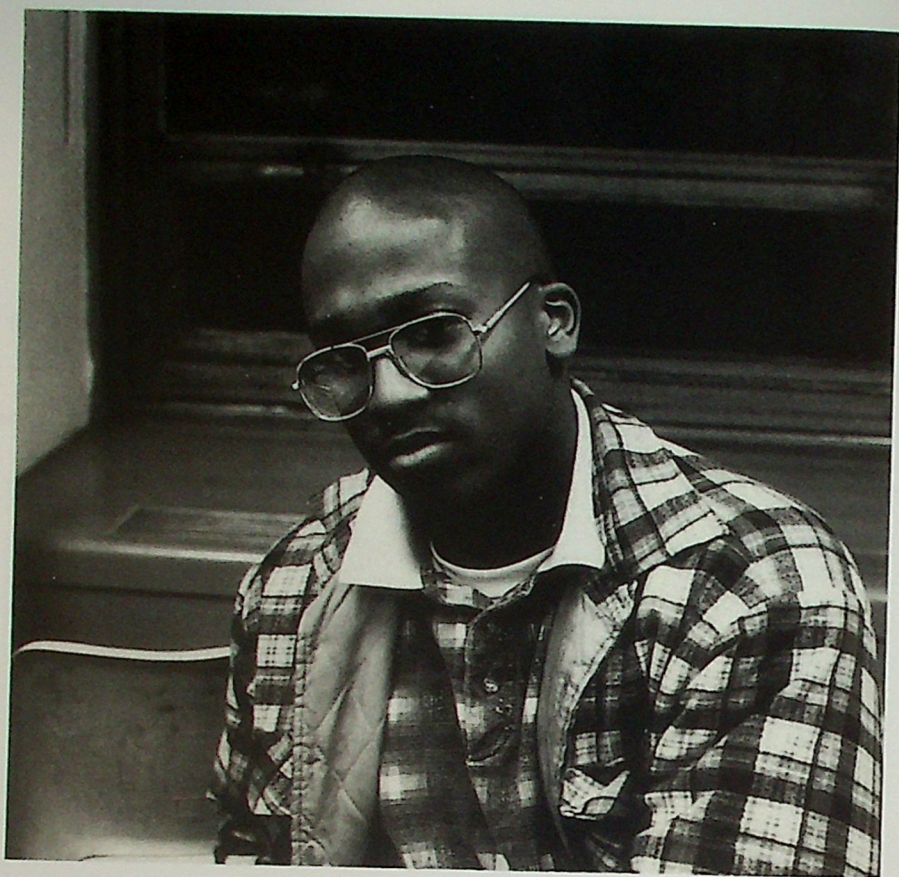
but it doesn't make any difference so long as it is honoured.

One acts on assumptions."

- Stoppard, *Ros & Guild are dead*

JOSEPH LEE

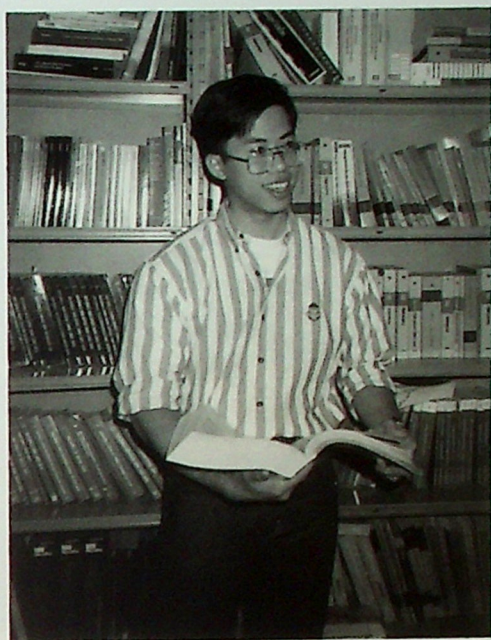




M.D.L. Fan Club Newsletter: Final Edition

"All good things must come to an end." – Star Trek: TNG

Life is marked by change. Yet one needs steadiness to enjoy the experience of living. Consequently, one must suffice with memories. Farewell my colleagues! May my guidance prove useful. I hope your encounter with me has expanded your consciousness, opening your mind to the infinite possibilities. Reality is yours to mold. Find what you truly seek.



MEYER DAVID LEE

Before Cooper...



After Cooper...





Is that why you invited me up here,
To observe the forest life,
The beastial life,
The still life?

A witch stretched a net across the sky
But bruised earth bulged through the edges,
Mud that needed help.
Help!

A tree has fallen
Out of a seventh story window.

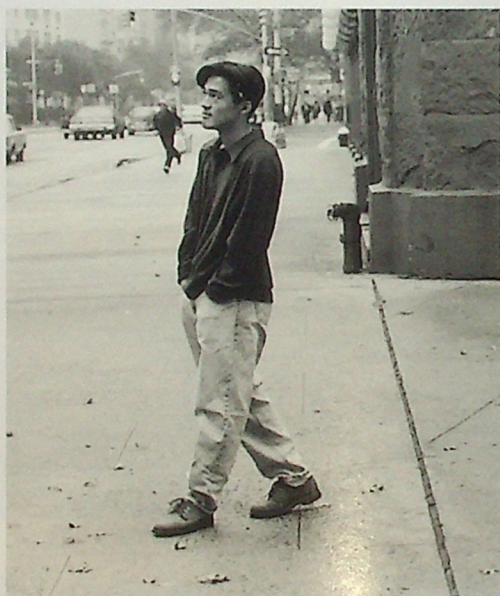
I am I am I am
Still flying, still trying
To catch kinderwhores in a jar,
And the fish in the trees,
Potted Geraniums on my knees.

WINNIE LEE

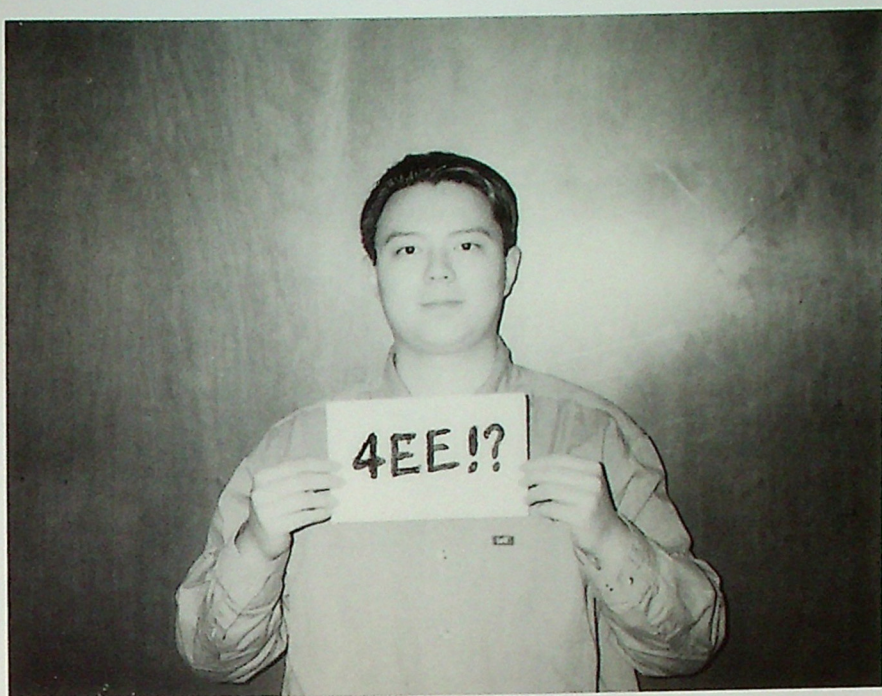
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it appears as if i'm walking forwards...but i'm actually walking backwards... WOOK LEE



YUN LIN



**School is: Teachers who don't know, teaching facts that aren't true,
to kids who don't care.**

**Since it won't matter in 10 years, here are the basic rules on how to goof-off in
college as much as everyone else:**

Avoid administrators.

Skim the required reading. Skip everything else.

Write vague, spineless papers.

Cram.

**Blot out any knowledge feverishly absorbed in class during the week with
brain-damaging debauchery on the weekend.**



U N F O R G E T T A B L E



IAN LIPSKY





The meaning of life is 42. Hmmmm... I don't remember anything. Games conquered: Minesweeper, Warlords, Warlords II, SimCity, SimCity 2000, SimAnt, SimEarth, Civilization, UFO, Romance of the Three Kingdoms II, Mortal Kombat, Street Fighter II, Caesar, Dawn Raider, Metal and Lace, Cobra Mission, Leisure Suit Larry, Sango, Prince of Persia, Ultima VI, Highway Fighter...Oh, and I took classes, too.

STEVE CHING-YUNG LIU



**"The only constant in the universe is change" – Spinoza
"The best way to avoid a problem is to solve it" – Thomas**

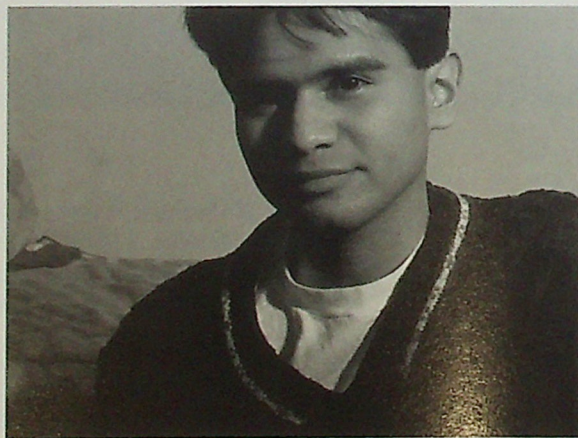
**When all is said and done I guess Cooper wasn't so bad.
In fact I'm even proud of the accomplishment.
Thanks to all those who have helped me get through
these years of trial and tribulation.
In particular my parents, fraternity, and friends
(Jim, I owe you at least 0.2 of my GPA.)**



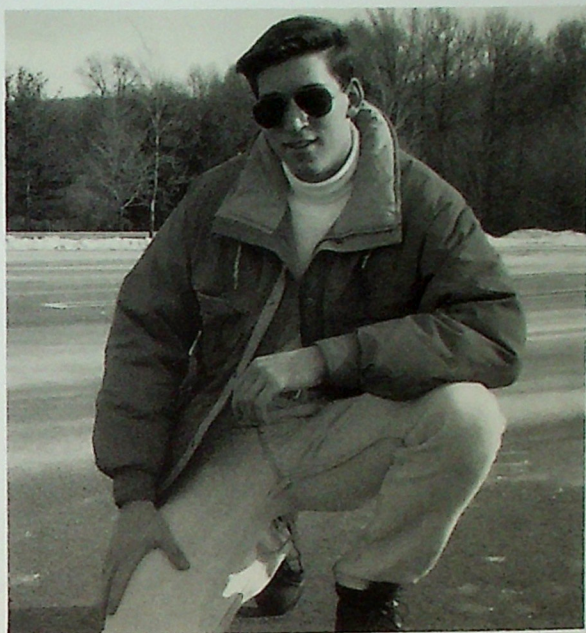
RALPH LUCCI

Accomplishment is its own reward — pride obscures it.

CHRISTIAN LUIS



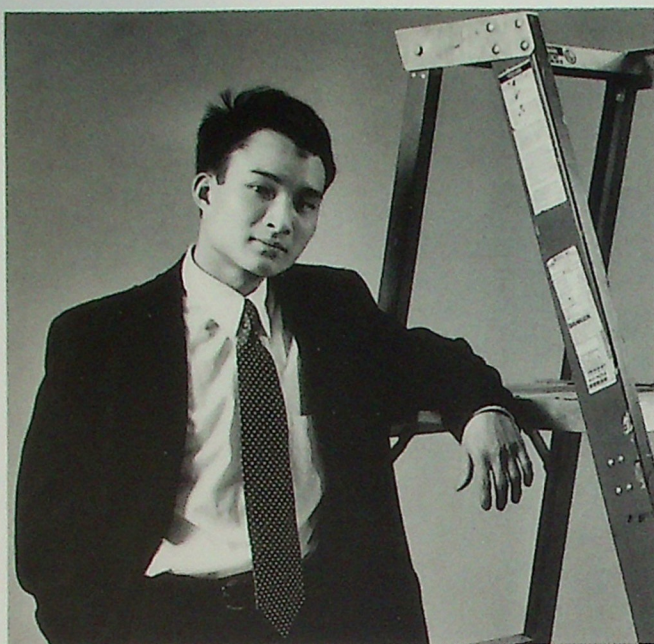
PETER M. MAKSYMUK IV



I pulse the accelerator, and feel that at least one other air-breather is alive keeping me company. Safety comes only above the speed limit, but it is also the edge of the law.

**This coupon hereby exempts the bearer from participation in any leadership or public speaking classes/workshops/seminars.
(see James J. Scire, Jr.)**

**"Pray for Surf" - Rick's Action Sports
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After four years, I think I'm ready to climb the ladder...literally.



Greater heights were not achieved by only eating and drinking, but by the burning of candles and persistence. When the purpose of a thing is not known, abuse is inevitable. It is therefore our responsibility to be the creators of our generation and convey the purpose of the knowledge behind it.

BENJAMIN MARKIN

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"And the hits just keep on comin!" - ♥Tom Cruise ♥ ☆ "No such thing as bad student, only bad teacher" - Mr. Miyagi ☆ It's all fun and games until someone loses an eye ☆ ♥Pat Kelly-#14 ♥ ☆ NY Yankees ☆ Don't cry because you have no shoes; one day you will meet the man who has no feet. ☆ Ma, Da, Deanna, Denise Tante grazie! Vi voglio bene! ☆ Ce ne stiamo noi cinque; tutto il resto è nulla.☆





MELANIE MAURO





KATHERINE LIVINGSTON McDOWELL



Thanks to everyone who helped me get through the last 4 years,
especially Mom, Dad, Mary, Bill, Karl & Mary.
To all my TDP brothers, it was an excellent past 4 years.
To all the senior ChE's, good luck (especially the AA club).
To Baker, thanks for giving me the opportunity to play college ball.
Now I'm going to climb into my escape pod out of here. BYE

A strange old magician once spoke. "It has been four years and I still do not know what is going on." But these words belied his wisdom, for he also said, "I will let you know when I find out." He's not been heard from since.



GEORGE MOCSARY-WEISZ

If all emotions can be represented by colors, I can say that I had the most colorful four years in my life. I'm afraid that I won't be able to have that many colors again in the real world. But I will not give up trying.





FRANCO A. MONTALTO

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The smile that you send out returns to you. – Indian Wisdom

A small-minded man weighs what can hinder him and fearful, dares not set to work. Difficulties cause the average man to leave off what he has begun.

A truly great man does not slacken in carrying out what he has begun, although obstacles tower thousandfold until he has succeeded. – Indian Wisdom

Learn true joy and you will meet GOD. – Shri Aurobindo

KETKI MOTANI



A human mind,
once stretched
to a new idea
never returns
to its former
dimensions.

Paraphrased from The Autocrat of the Breakfast Table:

Every Man His Own Boswell by Sir Oliver Wendell Holmes.

"Pamberi ne Chimurenga"

"Aluta Continua"

SAMUEL MUSORA



BETHANY NAGY

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The Road Not Taken

Robert Frost

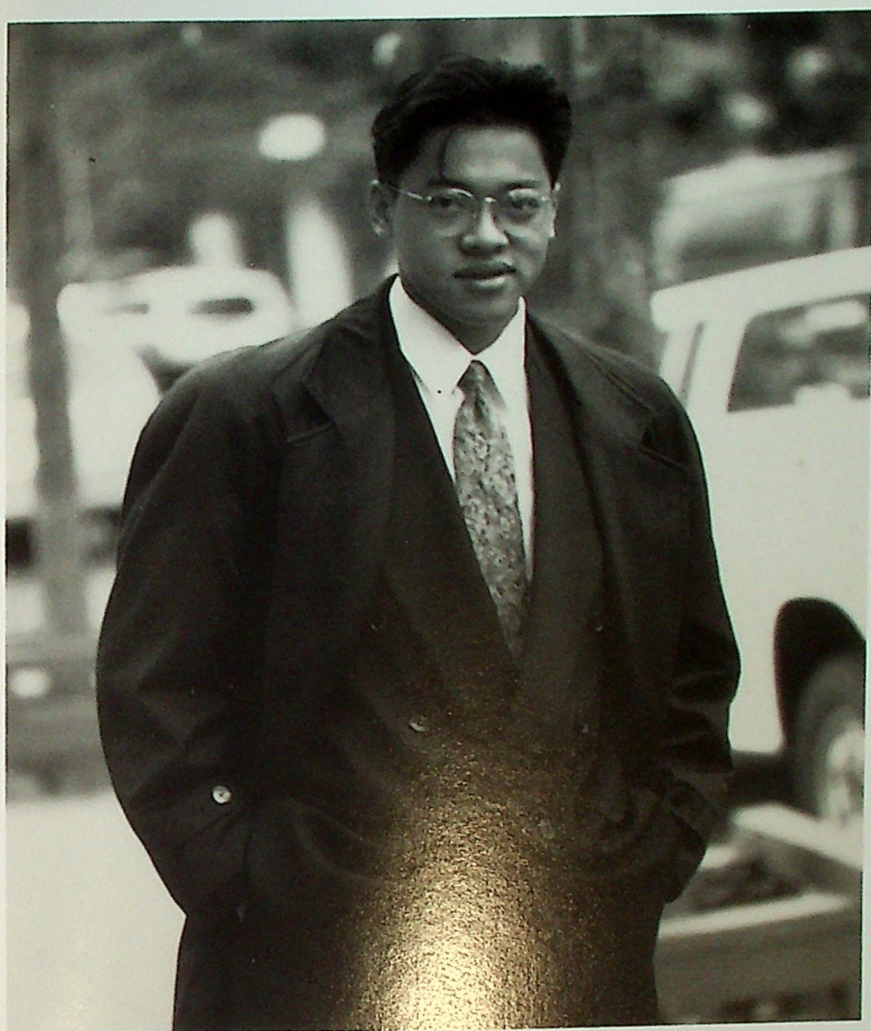
Two roads diverged in a yellow wood,
And sorry I could not travel both
And be one traveler, long I stood
And looked down one as far as I could
To where it bent in the undergrowth;

Then took the other, as just as fair,
And having perhaps the better claim,
Because it was grassy and wanted wear;
Though as for that the passing there
Had worn them really about the same,

And both that morning equally lay
In leaves no step had trodden black.
Oh, I kept the first for another day!
Yet knowing how way leads on to way,
I doubted if I should ever come back.

I shall be telling this with a sigh
Somewhere ages and ages hence:
Two roads diverged in a wood, and I –
I took the one less traveled by,
And that has made all the difference.

Confucius say: "lovers in triangle not on square."



Would someone please tell me what that means?!

LAWRENCE "MUNGO" O

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CARA O'CONNOR



DON'T KID ON MY ACCOUNT!...you always do that...can't you understand how it makes me feel?... That's not what I mean..."And they laughed - the immortal gods."
Removing the veil she opened the memory of Pepsi in the cold winter night waiting to sense the first fire.

"Really, I'd rather be dead..."

With a great many tears she left me saying:

"What a terrible blow - what sadness!

...I swear I leave you

Absolutely against my will."

And I said in reply:

"Go, be happy, goodbye.

Remember me - for you know how I loved you."

LAVINIA PANA





EMORPHYLLI PANTELIDIS

The Halls and Studios of the 3rd Floor

Echo chapters of my Life.

Friends that have Come and Gone.

Struggles.

Accomplishments.

All Never Forgotten.

The Sacrifices and Support of my Parents.

The Courage and Strength inspired by my Grandma.

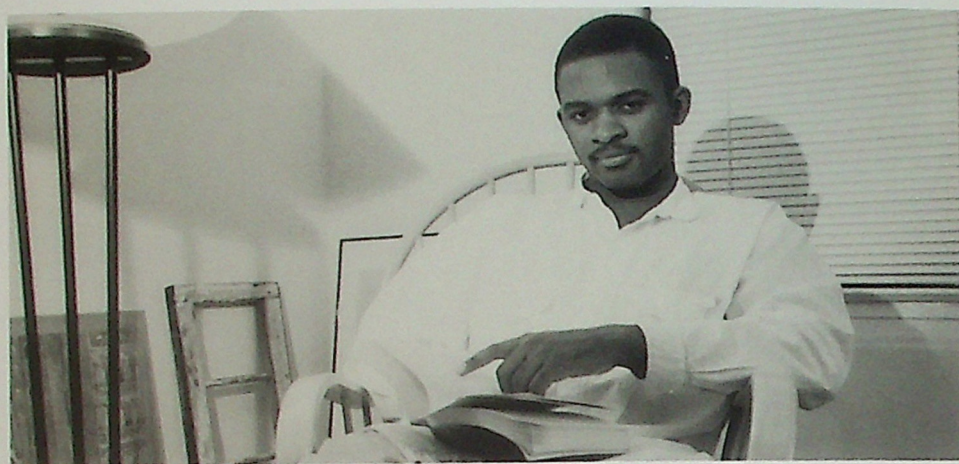
The Shared Laughters and Frustrations among Friends.

The Generosity and Opportunity provided by Peter Cooper.

All Never Forgotten.

ANIK PEARSON





ANDRÉ PENNYCOOKE

ZOE PETTIJOHN



I wouldn't consider going through hell with any other bunch of **SLACKERS!** Tristan 'Snoozer' Baccay, Joe 'The Gardener' Lee, Eugene 'The Grocer' Kim, Kevin 'AA' Chang, Kelly 'Super-peshishun' Hwang and Jackson(off). Also to MJD, Will, Karen, McGarvey, Joel, Lila, Steph, Francis 'wharyudooing' Torres, Jimmy, Shangaza, Hemangi, Jenn Fenton, Jen Hayes, Prem, Maria, Doris, Waicheongtonite, Wokman, and Heejung. Special Thanx to Irv, Chuck, Zikri, George, Bob, Rich, Becky and John. Good luck everyone! **BINH PHAM**



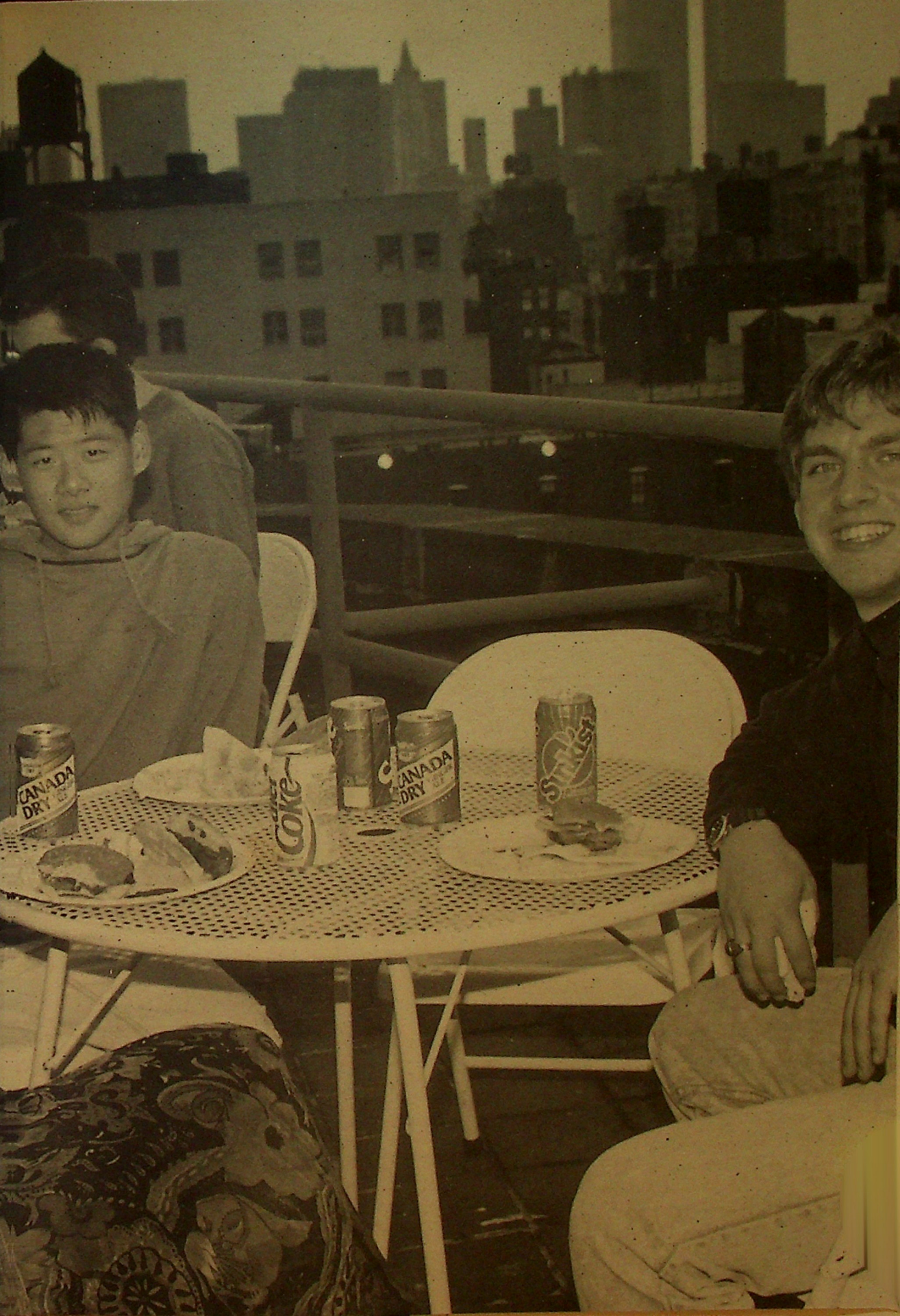
**Thanks...Above all
to Mom and Dad for
putting up with my
psychoticness and your
emotional and financial
support. And Aunt Dee
Dee and Uncle Vinny
belong up here, too.
Mom and Dad, Christine
and Brian, and Aldis
for all the late night taxi
rides. Kat, for being my
best friend. Jonas for
being my model and
assistant, and giving
up your Fridays and
Saturdays to do it.
Deborah and Dean
Lemiesz for being great
bosses and convincing
me to stay in school.
So much to Melissa for
helping me get into
Magnum and Time,
which got me my first
real job and on the road
to my career. To all
of my friends and the
rest of my family for
being there.
To the future...Sveiks!**

DENISE PORTHUN



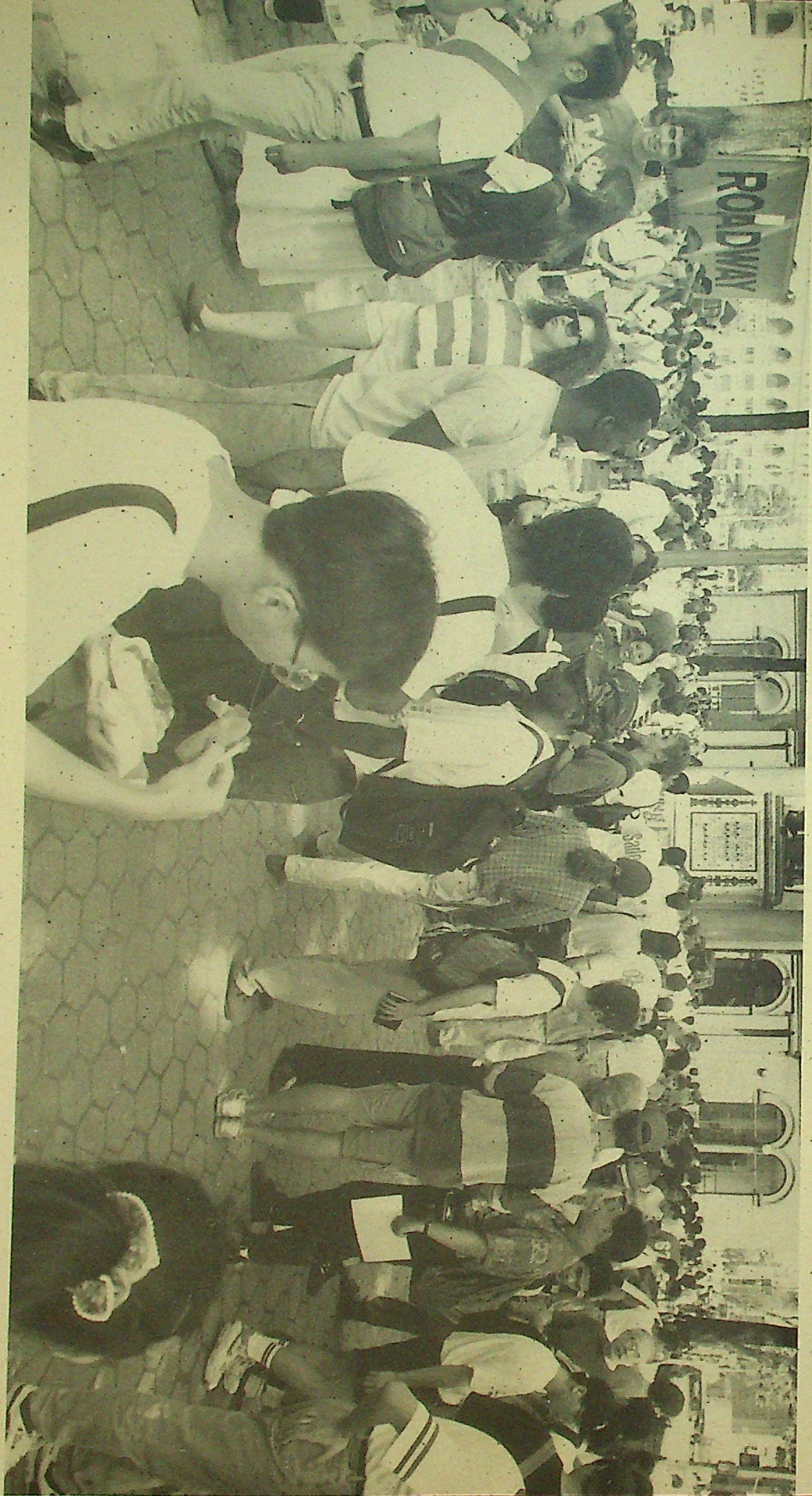


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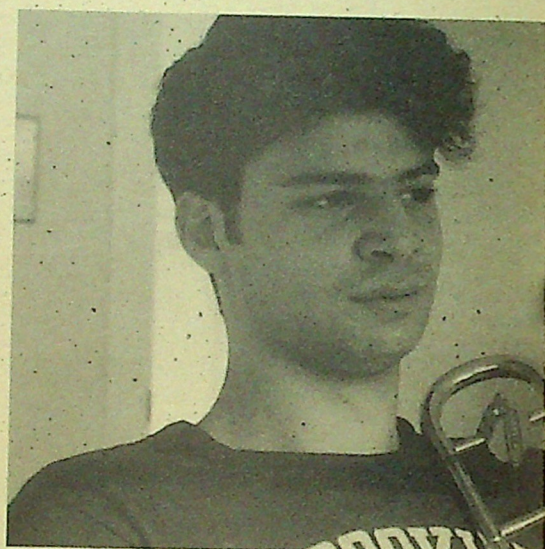




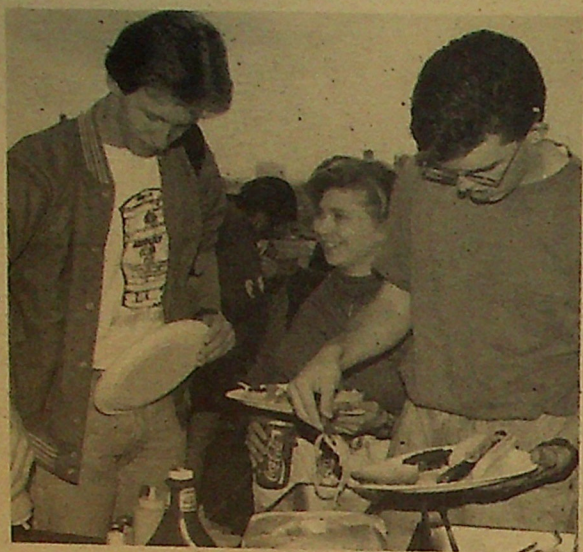








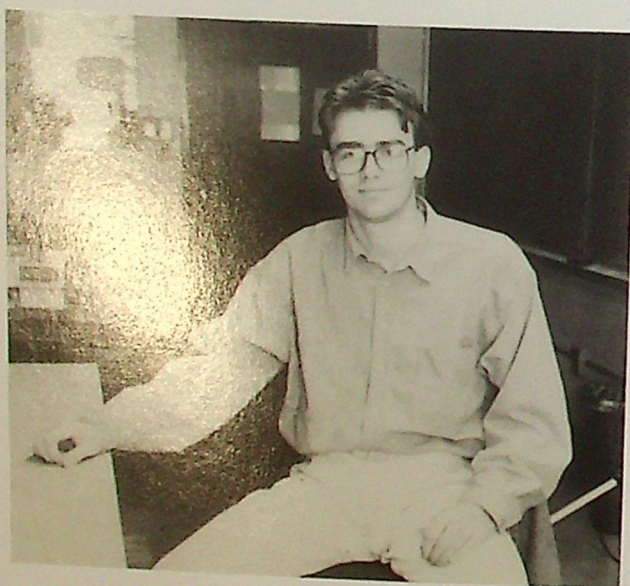






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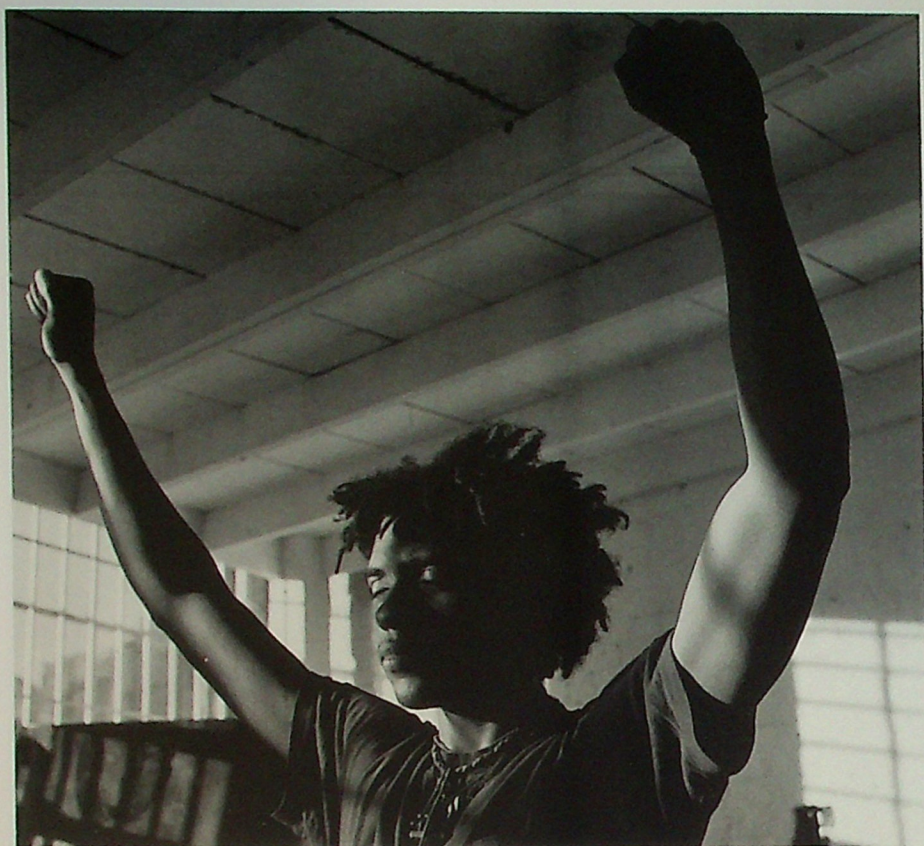


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STEPHANIE A. REYER



SARAH RIANHARD



"There is no such thing as good or bad, it is thinking that makes it so."

- William Shakespeare



AMY RAYKO ENDOW SADAQ

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DEBORAH SADUSINGH





MICHAEL SAMUELIAN



Like some old movies, Cooper has made me laugh, made me cry, and, yes, it has become a part of me.

(Selma Diamond - Night Court)

Cooper Memories: Shabbaton, SG's wedding, Kesher, museum visits, tutoring at Graffiti with BH, E-Weeks, Junior Lab with "easy-going" DT, post-exam ice skating Central Park, mind-numbing tests, softball intramurals, ping pong tournaments, Turkey Trot, San Gennaro, and many more.

DAVID TROY SANCHEZ



THOMAS SCHRÖPFER





STEPHANIE SCHWARTZ



JAMES J. SCIRE JR.

Engineering Motto:

Aut inveniam viam aut faciam – I will either find a road or I will make one.

And to every new boss or teacher:

Enough already! I know how to speak and I know how to lead.

(see also Prince W. Maksymuk IV)

The tree that never had to fight
For sun and sky and air and light,
But stood out in the open plain
And always got its share of rain,
Never became a forest king,
But lived and died a scrubby thing.
The man who never had to fight
To win his share of sun and sky and air and light
Never became a manly man,
But lived and died as he began.
Good timber does not grow in ease –
The stronger the wind, the tougher the trees.
-author unknown



JEFF SERZON

They defied from time immemorial the yoke of the stranger.



Thank you Mom, Dad, Mikail, Frank, Darshini, Nadia and my family.



ESTEE SHAPIRO KUHR



JEFFREY SHAPIRO

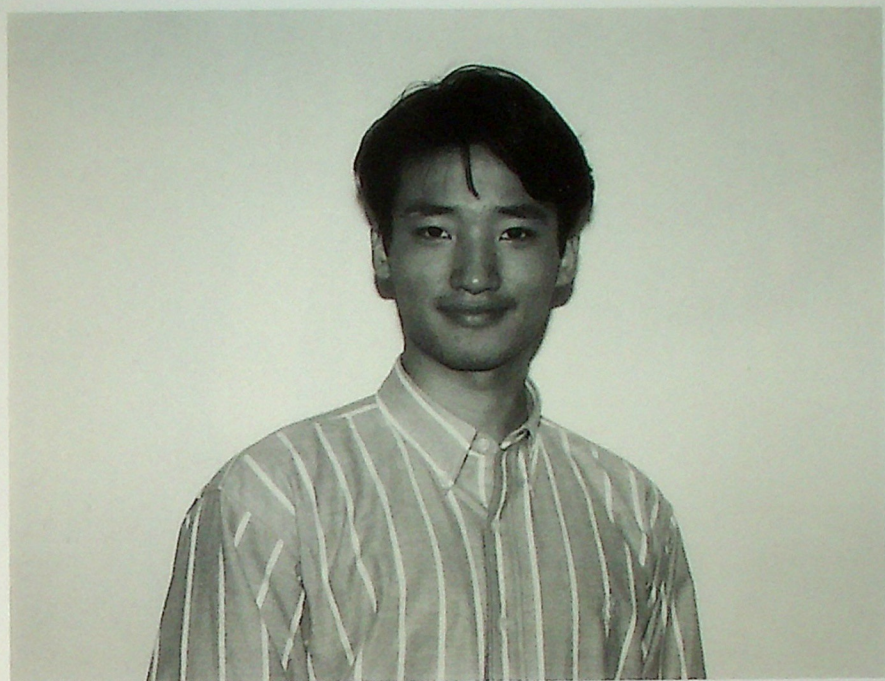


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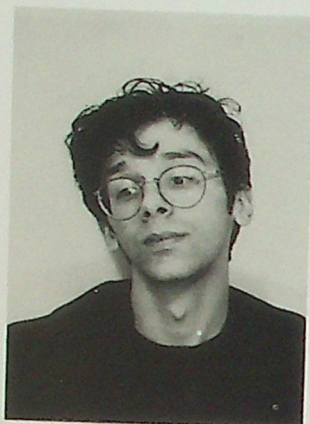
Since this year began, I have had the feeling that something is horribly wrong. Then I realized that, unless I make a major league screw-up, Cooper Union is going to graduate me as an engineer. God help me, I'm graduating. Even worse, I'm going to miss this place. Well, here's to the future, may it always be this bright.



WAI-CHEONG SHIU



JOSEPH SIU



KEVIN SLAVIN



"Sometimes I feel like a nut...Sometimes I don't!"

ALFONSO J. SMITH



ROSALIE

MONICA



JACKIE

GUEVARA



GEO



JEFF





Thanks, Pete.

ERIK SORENSEN



M. ELIZABETH SOUFFRANT

"There was nothing architectural about it, nothing ornamental. There was no roof with an iron cross above it, no octagonal lanterns, no slender pillars spreading into flower capitals at top, no fantastic and monstrous waterspouts, no carved woodwork and no fine sculpture deeply cut into the stone...It was just simply the marvelous soul of architecture." – V.H.

Big thanks, gros-bisoux to my parents for being there for me all the time they could, love you Mom, Dad (2), Yasmine and my special little brother David. Cooper was just great, thanks to all my friends: A,A,C,C,F,H,J,L,M,M,M,N,N,N,S,V,&Y. Especially Michael, Ivis and their parents. Love you all.



STELLA

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I wonder after some fifty years, when I don't care what time of day it is, will I still

remember things and people that seem so important to me now. But I am sure some

names will still ring a bell. Peter Cooper? Definitely. Charles Fan, Yong Tian, Yining,

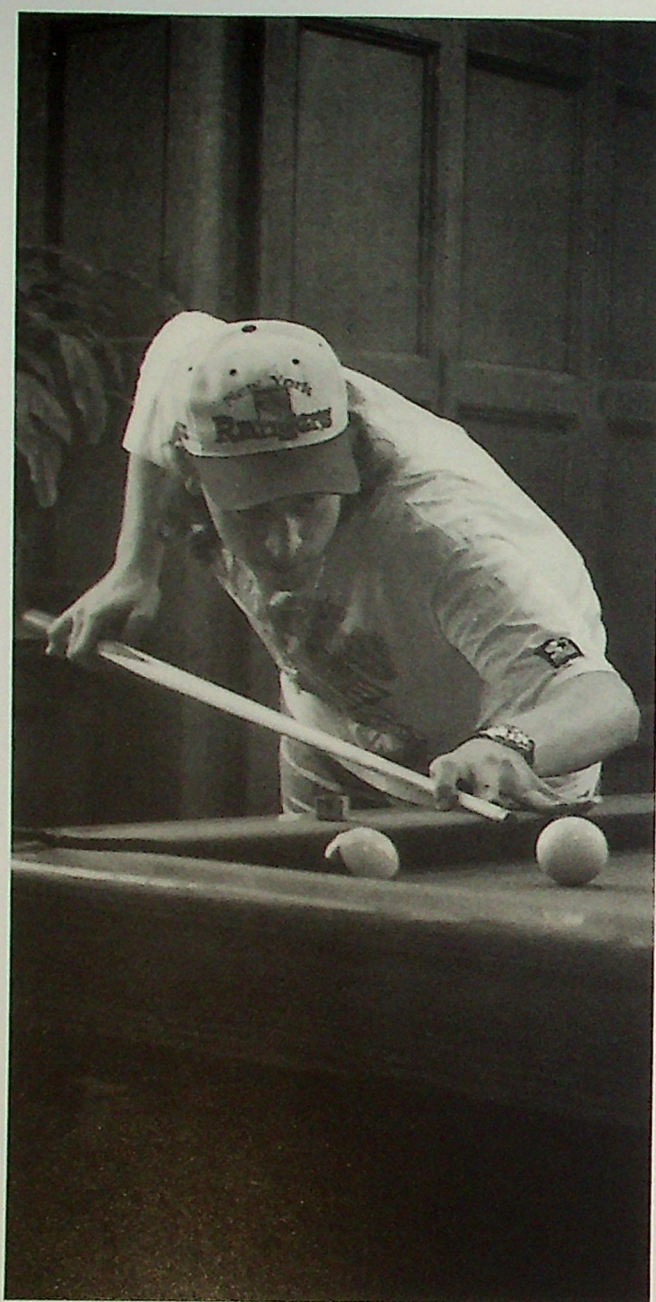
Jonathan Jiang and Fang, Jie and Lana the Wolf Jr.? And Alex, Dorothy, Hee Jung,

Helename, Sherry and on and on. Will I remember them? Maybe, if I still have their

login names in my .mailrc file.

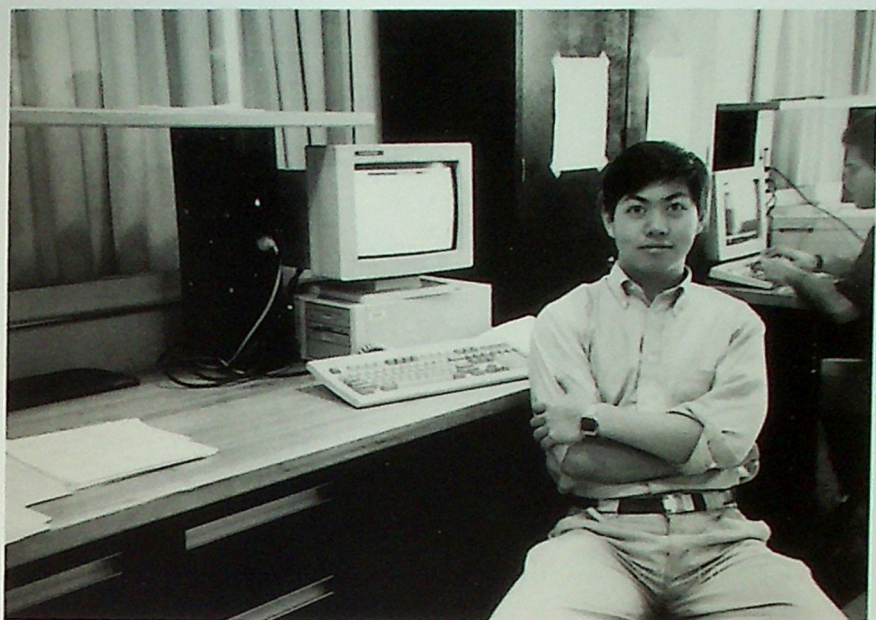


MINGZHOU SUN



CHRIS SYTSMA

YONG TIAN



*The sky is gray,
The buildings are gray,
The whole world is gray.
Then I saw you,
wearing a pink blouse,
and a yellow hair band.
My eyes are filled with color.*

*I want to thank Charles, Joe, Yining, Jonathan,
and all my friends for having a good time with me
at Cooper.*



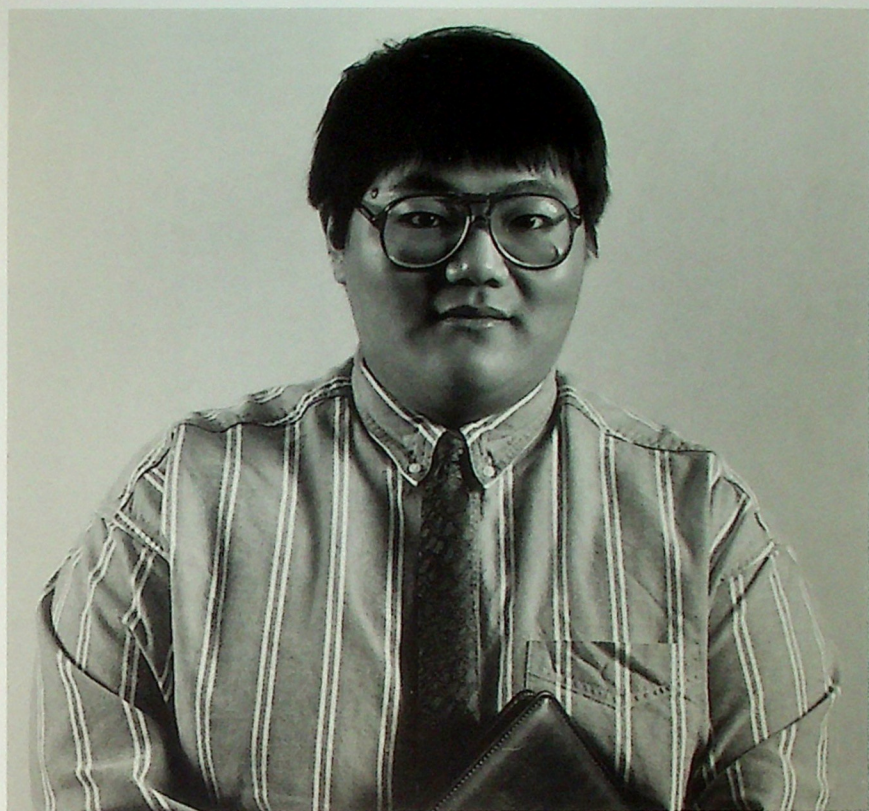


GENE TIMMONS



FRANCIS M. TORRES

There is nothing like the end of an odyssey. Just the anxiety to begin a greater one. The next step is huge, but it is there for us. Reflection...



Thanks for the memories!

To my friends...MV, DC, HY, JL, DE, AB and many others

Great to be working with you guys.

Thanks for being there every time I needed you.

"It's been a long journey but a blast these past 4 years.

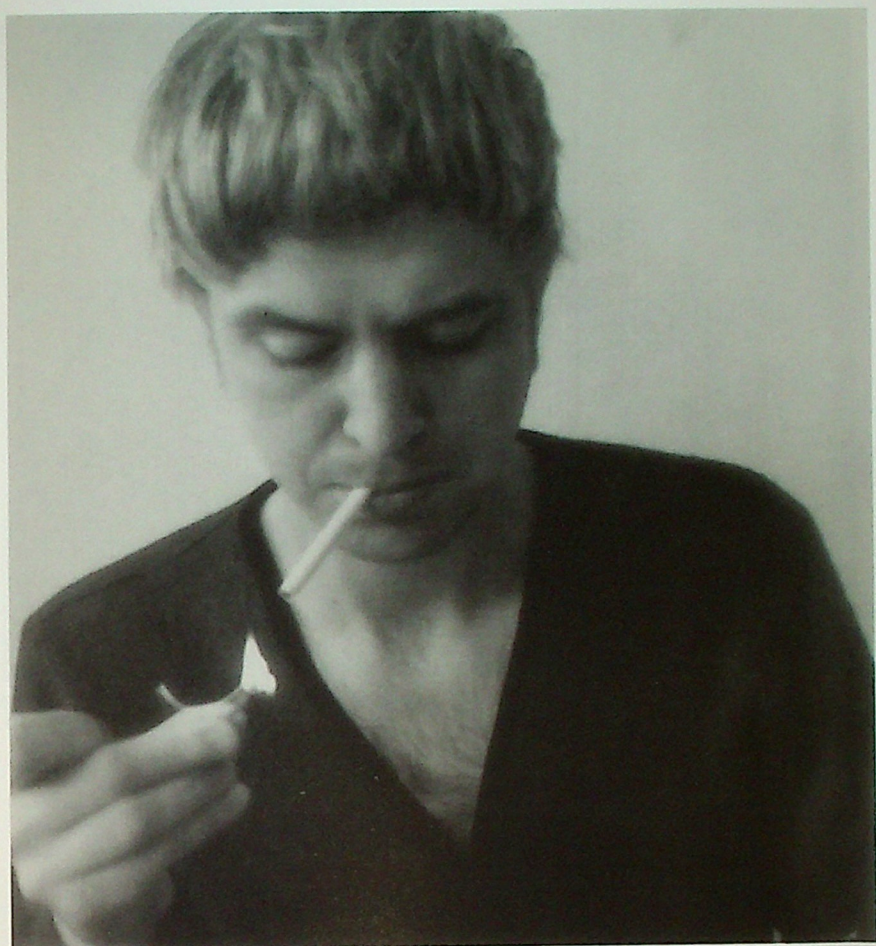
...we also rejoice in our sufferings, because we know that suffering produces perseverance; perseverance, character; and character, hope. And hope does not disappoint us."

Romans 5:3-5

SAMSON C.TSO

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PIOTR LUCJAN UKLAŃSKI

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TOM VAN DE KIEFT

"'Oranges and lemons,' say the bells of St Clement's!"

To his astonishment she capped the line:

'You owe me three farthings,' say the bells of St Martin's,

'When will you pay me?' say the bells of Old Bailey –

'I can't remember how it goes on after that.

**But anyway I remember it ends up, "Here comes a candle to light you to bed,
here comes a chopper to chop off your head!"**



MARIA VASAKA

HERMAN VENTURA





EDWIN VERA

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VICTOR MANUEL VERGARA
Un hombre no es nada sin su familia.





HELEN VLASSIS

"Everything has changed, absolutely nothing's changed." – E. Vedder



**I cannot run from the warfare, but boldly, and with hope,
look to the habitation that arises from it, and inhabit it.**

**The habitation, the dwelling place, is always found in the
midst of the warfare.**

**Every person is a walking city of habitations, in the midst
of the warfare, ready to be shared, ready to be inhabited.**

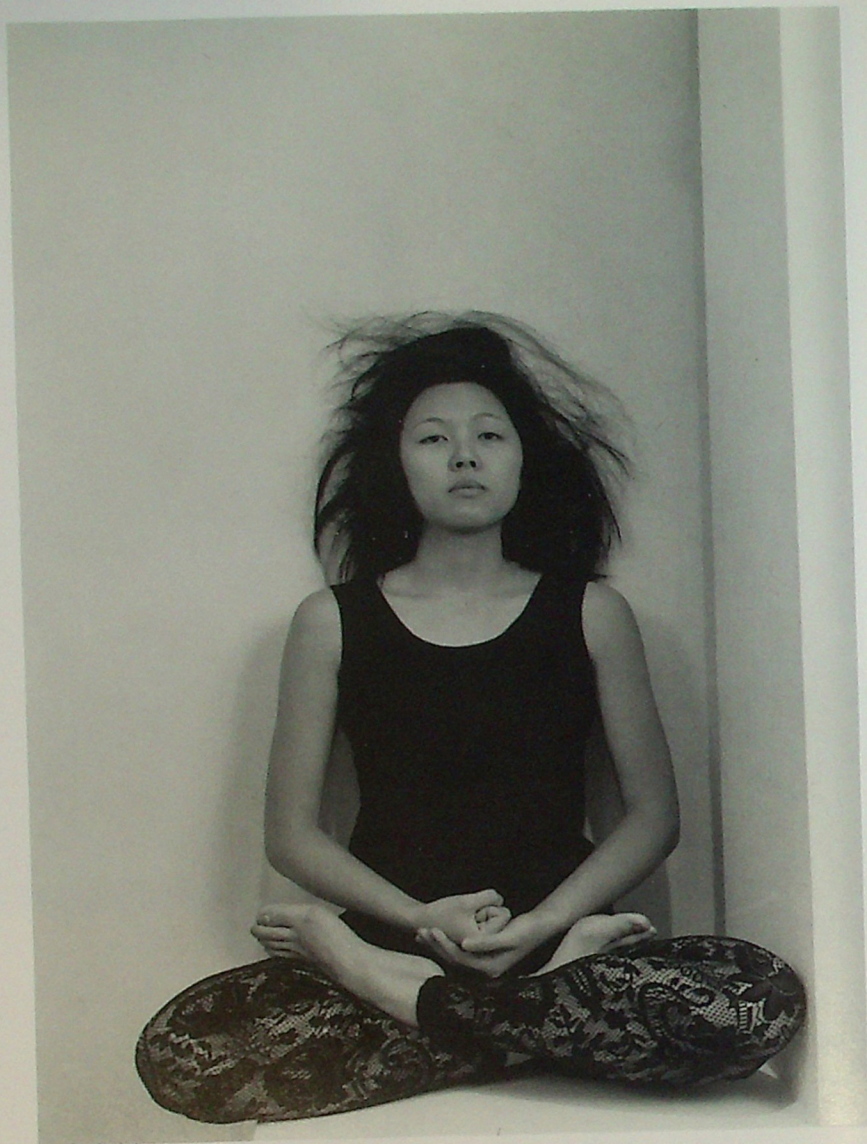
ADRIENNE C.E. WATSON







MARJORIE WOLK



Words form, still warm from the womb where upon origination mother thought
decided to abort apologetically.

TAI LAM WONG



NATHANIEL WORDEN





To my family: Thank you so much for loving, supporting, and caring for me. I could never make it without you. You helped me to keep up with my dream and now it has come true. I love you all.

To my friends and schoolmates, Good luck to all of you and we shall see each other in the future. I hope the year book can help us to recognize each other in our ten-year, twenty-year, or even thirty year reunion: Cooper Union Reunion.

To my descendants in the future, Please don't laugh. This is the style of the 90s.
Love, Christina

CHRISTINA YEUNG

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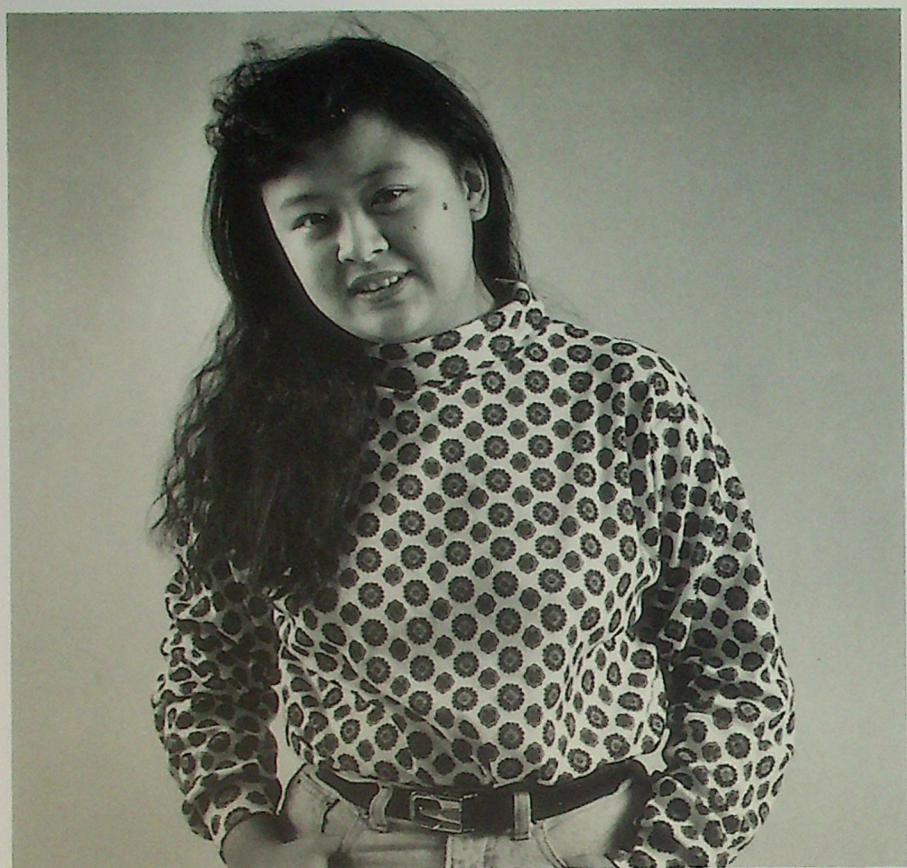
HYUNG (HAROLD) S. YOO





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